



## LEGISLATIVE COVER MEMO

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**Meeting Date:** May 19, 2025

**Agenda Item:** Resolution 2025-24

AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF DE-ICING SALT FROM THE CARGIL INC. DEICING TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSS UNIT THROUGH THE WARREN COUNTY JOINT SALT PURCHASING PROGRAM

**Submitted by:** Nick Miller, Assistant Public Works Director

**Scope/Description:** The Warren County Engineer closed the reverse online bidding for ice control salt on April 17, 2025. The lowest bids for dumped road salt were from the Cargil Inc. Deicing Technology Business Unit. (we use dumped). The County Commissioners awarded the bid to the Cargil Inc. Deicing Technology Business Unit on April 19, 2025. This year, under the County's Program, our price per ton is \$96.25. Last year our bid price was \$92.10 per ton through the County's Joint Program. This represents an increase of \$4.15 per ton

The bids were as follows:

Cargill Deicing Tech	\$96.25 per ton
Morton Salt	\$96.42 per ton
Compass Minerals America	\$99.40 per ton

We estimated our need for bidding purposes at 3,000 tons.

**Exhibit:** None.

**Budget Impact:** Salt is a line item budget and is purchased on an "as needed" basis.

**Recommendation:** Approval

CITY OF FRANKLIN, OHIO  
RESOLUTION 2025-24

**AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF DE-ICING SALT FROM THE CARGIL INC DEICING TECHNOLOGY BUSINESS UNIT, THROUGH THE WARREN COUNTY ENGINEER'S JOINT SALT PURCHASING PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, Resolution 2025-09, passed by this Council on February 3, 2025, authorized participation in the Warren County Engineer's Joint Salt Purchasing Program for the purpose of purchasing road salt for the 2025-2026 winter season;

WHEREAS, the Warren County Engineer accepted reverse online bids for de-icing salt, delivered and dumped, until April 17, 2025, and determined that the bid of the Cargil Inc. Deicing Technology Business Unit, was the lowest and best; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Warren County, by Resolution 25-0529, passed on April 29, 2025, awarded the bid for the Warren County Engineer's Joint Salt Purchasing Program to the Cargil Inc. Deicing Technology Business Unit,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Franklin, Ohio, a majority of the members present concurring, that:

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to purchase up to three thousand (3,000) tons of deicing salt from the Cargil Inc. Technology Business Unit, through the Warren County Engineer's Joint Salt Purchasing Program, at a price of \$96.25 per ton, dumped.

Section 2. It is found that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council that resulted in this formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code and the Rules of Council.

Section 3. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

ADOPTED: May 19, 2025

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Khristi Dunn, Clerk of Council

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
Brent Centers, Mayor

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned Clerk of Council for the Franklin City Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution passed by that body on May 19, 2025.

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Khristi Dunn, Clerk of Council