

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION RENEWING THE AWARD OF BID FOR SCHOOL CROSSING GUARDS TO CROSS SAFE; APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE KINGSPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT AND KINGSPORT CITY SCHOOLS; AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT FOR THE SAME AND ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY AND PROPER TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSE OF THE AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, on June 19, 2018, the board adopted Resolution No. 2018-192, awarding bids for the acquisition of school crossing guard services; and

WHEREAS, the invitation to bid included a renewal option clause that allows the city to renew the award for an additional twelve month period, if costs are acceptable to both parties, and with board approval; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends amending the agreement with Cross Safe to renew the award of bid for the period of twelve months, beginning July 1, 2024, and ending June 30, 2025, with a 3.72% cost of living index increase; and

WHEREAS, the funding is identified in the Police Department Budget, Account No.: 110-3030-441-1010; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department and Kingsport City Schools are to enter into an interdepartmental Memorandum of Understanding providing for the acquisition, management, and funding of crossing guards; and

WHEREAS, Kingsport City Schools shall transfer funds from one of its accounts to the Police Department Budget, Account No.: 110-3030-441-1010 for payment of the contracted crossing guard services incurred by the Police Department

Now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. That the amendment to the agreement renewing the award of bid for the school crossing guard services with Cross Safe for an additional year is approved.

SECTION II. That the Memorandum of Understanding between the Police Department and the Kingsport City Schools is approved.

SECTION III. That the mayor, or in his absence, incapacity, or failure to act, the vice-mayor, is authorized and directed to execute, in a form approved by the city attorney and subject to the requirements of Article X, Section 10 of the Charter of the City of Kingsport, the amendment to the agreement renewing the award of bid for the school crossing guard services with Cross Safe for an additional year, to deliver the agreement and take any and all action as may be required on the part of the city to carry out, give effect to, and consummate the transactions contemplated by the agreement and this resolution.

SECTION IV. That the board finds that the actions authorized by this resolution are for a public purpose and will promote the health, comfort, and prosperity of the citizens of the city.

SECTION VI. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its adoption, the public welfare requiring it.

ADOPTED this the 7th day of May, 2024.

PATRICK W. SHULL, MAYOR

ATTEST:

ANGELA MARSHALL, DEPUTY CITY RECORDER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

RODNEY B. ROWLETT, III, CITY ATTORNEY