

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A 2007 WATER TENDER FOR
THE REPUBLIC FIRE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, the City of Republic, Missouri, ("City" or "Republic") is a municipal corporation and Charter City located in Greene County, Missouri, being duly created, organized, and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri; and

WHEREAS, the City has identified a need to replace one of the City's current water tender trucks used by the Fire Department, as it has reached the end of its service life to adequately perform as an emergency vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has identified a used water tender for sale by Brindlee Mountain Fire Apparatus ("New Apparatus") that fits the needs of the Fire Department and could be delivered to the City ready-for-use by December of 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has allocated funds in the City's 2022 budget for the New Apparatus; and

WHEREAS, City staff identified other, comparable water tenders for sale that would have cost the City approximately \$120,000 more than the New Apparatus, and would not have been available to the City until late 2024 or early 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds the purchase of the New Apparatus will improve the scope and quality of services the Fire Department is able to provide the citizens of Republic, and thus is in the best interests of the citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REPUBLIC, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Administrator, or his designee, is authorized to execute a contract with Brindlee Mountain Fire Apparatus for the purchase of the 2007 Deep South/Kenworth Pumper/Tanker, Stock #16114, from Brindlee Mountain Fire Apparatus, at a price not to exceed \$202,000 (exclusive of applicable taxes), in substantially the same form as the Sales Agreement attached hereto as "Attachment 1."

Section 2. The City Administrator, or his designee, on behalf of the City, is authorized to take the necessary steps to implement this Resolution.

Section 3. The WHEREAS clauses are hereby specifically incorporated herein by reference.

Section 4. This Resolution shall become effective on and after the date of passage and approval as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Republic, Missouri, this _____ day of _____, 2022.

Matt Russell, Mayor

Attest:

Laura Burbridge, City Clerk

Approved as to Form:



Megan McCullough, City Attorney

Final Passage and Vote: