

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH OPENEDGE PAYMENTS LLC FOR CREDIT CARD PROCESSING SERVICES

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

WHEREAS, currently, and since 2018, OpenEdge Payments LLC (“OpenEdge”) has been providing credit card processing services to the City; and

WHEREAS, in order to ensure it is receiving competitive rates from its service providers, the City recently requested OpenEdge perform a new rate analysis for the services it is providing to the City; and

WHEREAS, per OpenEdge’s new rate analysis, OpenEdge has offered to reduce the rates it is currently charging the City for services across-the-board;

WHEREAS, from a quality perspective, the City has been satisfied with OpenEdge’s services; and

WHEREAS, based on the quality of service provided by OpenEdge at reasonable, competitive rates, the Council finds it is in the best interest of the City and its citizens to enter into an agreement with OpenEdge for credit card processing services from 2022 until 2025.

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

Section 1: The City Administrator, and/or his designee(s), on behalf of the City, is hereby authorized to execute and deliver any documents necessary to enter into an agreement for the provision of credit card processing services by OpenEdge Payments LLC.

Section 2: The whereas clauses are hereby specifically incorporated herein by reference.

Section 3: 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:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Megan McCullough", is written over a horizontal line.

Megan McCullough, City Attorney

Final Passage and Vote: