

ORDINANCE NO. 154-25

ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SAFETY/SERVICE DIRECTOR TO ENTER INTO VARIOUS CONTRACTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF CHEMICALS FOR USE IN THE UTILITIES DEPARTMENT, WATER AND WATER POLLUTION CONTROL DIVISIONS OF THE CITY OF LORAIN, STATE OF OHIO.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LORAIN, STATE OF OHIO:

SECTION I That the Safety/Service Director is hereby authorized to advertise and enter into contract(s) for the purchase of the following items for use in the Utilities Department, Water and Water Pollution Control Divisions in an estimated amount of not to exceed \$1,275,000, based on 2025 awarded/expensed costs and projected price fluctuation(s):

Each Year Approximately:

- 375 Tons dry weight Sulfate of Aluminum (Liquid)
- 60 Tons Liquid Chlorine in one (1) ton cylinders
- 50 Tons Powdered Activated Carbon (PAC)
- 25 Tons Sodium Fluorosilicate
- 4,000 Pounds Potassium Permanganate
- 155 Tons Ferric Chloride
- 125,000 Gallons Ferrous Chloride
- 13,500 Gallons Sodium Bisulfite Solution
- 20,000 Gallons (at least 50%) Caustic Soda
- 8,250 Gallons Liquid Polymer
- 10,000 Gallons 35% Orthophosphate
- 38,000 Gallons Sodium Hypochlorite Solution
- 660 Gallons Polyacrylamide
- 220 Gallons Cationic Polymer

The above is in accordance with specifications that require NSF approval as a minimum, that will be on file in the Engineering Department and subject to the approval of the Board of Control of said City as required by law.

SECTION II That bids submitted are for a one (1) year contract period.

SECTION III That all one (1) year contracts for the purchase of chemicals needed by the Utilities Department for calendar year 2026 shall have a termination date of 12/31/2026.

SECTION IV That the costs each calendar year shall be taken from the following Water Fund and Water Pollution Control Fund Accounts:

- 6020.P602.6440.6400.3200 – Purification Operations – Chemical Supplies
- 6130.P613.6310.6400.3200 – Plant Operations – Chemical Supplies
- 6130.P613.6420.6400.3200 – PQM Plant – Chemical Supplies

SECTION V That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public and in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

PASSED: October 20, 2025



PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: Breanna Dill, CLERK



MAYOR

APPROVED: October 20, 2025



CITY OF LORAIN

City Council Regular Meeting

10. m.

Meeting Date: 10/06/2025

Submitted by: Joe Carbonaro, Utilities Director

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION OR LEGISLATION TITLE:

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PURPOSE AND BACKGROUND:

To enter into contracts with various vendors for various chemicals to be used in the operation and maintenance of the wastewater and water treatment plants.

RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL:

Passage

Fiscal Impact

Funds Available in Current Year Budget (Y/N): N

Estimated Total Expenditure: 1,275,000

List of Funding Source and/or Account Number: Budget

Estimate of Incoming Revenue (fees, grants, etc.):

Financing Requirements (Bonds, Loans, Lease, etc.):

Funds will be budgeted in the 2026.

Attachments

Ordinance

Form Review

Inbox	Reviewed By	Date
Carrion	Rey Carrion	10/02/2025 05:12 PM
Mayor Bradley	Jack Bradley	10/02/2025 05:15 PM
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