

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-30

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, OR HIS DESIGNEE, TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH AVETIN ENGINEERING, LTD., FOR THE DESIGN, ENGINEERING AND INSTALLATION OF THE REPLACEMENT BIOSOLIDS DEWATERING AND DRYING EQUIPMENT AT THE VILLAGE’S WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Village Council has recently contracted with Avetin Engineering, LTD, for certain proposed 2025 Wastewater Treatment Infrastructure Improvements, and

WHEREAS, these proposed infrastructure improvements include:

- replacing a twenty-year-old biosolids belt-press with a new screw press
- replacing a twenty-year-old biosolids microwave-dryer with a new natural gas dryer

WHEREAS, the said infrastructure improvements will require:

- negotiating the purchase of new biosolids press and dryer and oversight of the installation of the said press and dryer
- engineering and design of the new press and dryer and the layout of the said equipment
- ongoing communication with the manufacturers, distributors, and other third-parties in regards to the said WWTP improvements
- working with Village staff in an effort to optimize plant efficiency after installation of the said new equipment
- other details outlined in the attached proposal dated October 30th, 2024: and

WHEREAS, the infrastructure improvements herein above described are needed for the health and well-being of the community, and are declared an emergency; and

WHEREAS, \$10,000 of the said \$80,280 proposal shall be invoiced and paid to Avetin Engineering, LTD, in 2024, and the remaining \$70,280 balance shall be invoiced and paid after April 1st, 2025; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Village of Fredericktown, Knox County, Ohio, as follows:

Section 1. Village Council hereby authorizes the Mayor, or his designee, to enter into an agreement with Avetin Engineering, LTD, to perform the design, engineering and oversight of the installation of the said biosolids processing equipment for an amount not exceed \$80,280; and

Section 2. This Resolution shall take effect at the earliest date allowable by law.

PASSED: _____

Jerry L. Day, Mayor

ATTEST: _____
Suzan Graves, Fiscal Officer