RESOLUTION NO. 33, 2020

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH PENN CARE INC. FOR THE PURCHASE OF A 2020 BRAUN E450 CHIEF XL TYPE III AMBULANCE

WHEREAS, the Administration has determined that it is necessary to replace in service the Fire and EMS Department Ambulance, and has appropriately budgeted for such replacement; and

WHEREAS, purchases of goods or services in excess of \$50,000 require

Council approval and competitive bidding unless an exception is recognized; and

WHEREAS, state law allows an exception to competitive bidding if the purchase is made through the State of Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program ("Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program"); and

WHEREAS, the City of Montgomery is a participant in the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program offers an ambulance which, after analysis by the Fire Department, meets the needs for its replacement vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the City has determined that separate bids for the purchase of an ambulance would exceed the price available through the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Montgomery, Hamilton County, Ohio, that:

SECTION 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to acquire from Penn Care Inc. through the Ohio Cooperative Purchasing Program, State Term Schedule #800818, One (1) 2020 Braun Chief XL Type III Ambulance in an amount not to exceed \$206,000.00 consistent with the specifications reviewed and approved by the Fire and EMS Department.

SECTION 2. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED: October 7, 2020

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Terrence M. Donnellon, Law Director