

Village of Yellow Springs, Ohio

RESOLUTION 2024-15

**AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH
M&L TREE SERVICE & LAWN CARE, LLC
FOR 2024 UTILITY LINE CLEARANCE SECTIONS 1 and 2 OF THE VILLAGE**

WHEREAS, the Village has recently conducted a competitive bidding process for electric utility line clearing and tree-trimming, and

WHEREAS, M&L Tree Service & Lawncare, LLC has submitted the lowest and best bid of \$115,000 for Section 1 and \$115,000 for Section 2 to perform this work according to the specifications of the Village and the bidding process, and

WHEREAS, there are no Findings for Recovery for M&L Tree Service & Lawncare, LLC on record with the Ohio Auditor of State, and

WHEREAS, the Village Manager recommends that M&L Tree Service & Lawncare, LLC be awarded the contract for this project, in the amount of \$230,000.00,

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by Council for the Village of Yellow Springs, Ohio that:

Section 1. The Village Manager is authorized to execute an Agreement with M&L Tree Service & Lawncare, LLC for the clearing of trees, branches, and vegetation from the electric utility line easements and rights-of-way for said utilities in Sections 1 and 2 of the Village. Said agreement shall be in a form approved by the Village Solicitor.

Section 2. This amount will be paid from Account No. 601-1302-53120.

Section 3. The Village Manager is hereby authorized to issue additional Change Orders totaling no more than 25% of the bid amount, or \$57,500.00.

Section 4. The Village Manager is authorized to represent the Village in all matters related to this project.

Kevin Stokes, Council President

Passed: 2-20-2024

Attest: _____
Judy Kintner, Clerk of Council

ROLL CALL

Kevin Stokes __Y__ Carmen Brown __Y__ Gavin DeVore Leonard __Y__

Brian Housh __Y__ Trish Gustafson __Y__