

BILL NO. 2024-25

ORDINANCE NO. _____

INTRODUCED BY _____

AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE A RETAINER AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF HERMANN, MISSOURI AND UTILITY SAFETY & DESIGN, INC. FOR GAS ENGINEERING SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the City desires to retain gas engineering services required for the operation of its natural gas system; and

WHEREAS, the City received a proposed Retainer Agreement from Utility Safety & Design, Inc. (“USDI”) to monitor the City’s gas utility on a regular basis for a monthly retainer fee of Two Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars (\$225.00), which the City desires to accept; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Retainer Agreement between the City of Hermann and USDI (“USDI Retainer Agreement”) is attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen has determined that approving the USDI Retainer Agreement would serve a legitimate public purpose and is in the best interests of the citizens of the City of Hermann, Missouri.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF HERMANN, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE: The USDI Retainer Agreement is approved. Mayor Bruce Cox is authorized and directed to execute the USDI Retainer Agreement on behalf of the City.

SECTION TWO: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION THREE: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and adoption.

First Reading: April 8, 2024

Second Reading: _____

VOTE:

| Name | First Reading | | | Second Reading | | |
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| | Aye | Nay | Abs | Aye | Nay | Abs |
| Alderman Ash Geers | | | | | | |
| Alderman Derek LeRoy | | | | | | |
| Alderman Jim Schirmer | | | | | | |
| Alderman Susan Lenger | | | | | | |

Passed and approved this ___ day of _____, 2024.

BRUCE COX, Mayor

COREY ORR, City Clerk