

RESOLUTION NO. 5068

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE BIDDING ON USED AMBULANCES FROM THE BYRON FIRE PR, AND DECLARING THAT THIS RESOLUTION SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE IMMEDIATELY.

- WHEREAS, The front line ambulance has experienced several repair needs, including being out of service for over a week recently; and
- WHEREAS, The Fire Department has accumulated \$180,124 in the acquisition fund for rolling stock replacement; and,
- WHEREAS, The Bryon Illinois Ambulance Service has advertised the sale of 2 – 2010 International Ambulances built by Medtec, with a minimum starting bid of \$22,500 each; and,
- WHEREAS, City staff has recommended inspecting the ambulances advertised by Byron Illinois Ambulance Service and bidding on them as a potential stop gap replacement measure to allow additional time for accumulating additional funds and budgeting for a new ambulance.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF KEWANEE THAT:

- Section 1** The Fire Chief, City Mechanic, and/or his designee are hereby authorized to determine the state of the vehicle(s) advertised for sale by the Byron Illinois Fire Protection District.
- Section 2** Should the vehicle(s) be found to be in sound condition, making one or both of them ideal for the Kewanee Fire Department, the Fire Chief, or his designee, is authorized to bid on one or both of the advertised vehicles, in an amount not to exceed \$65,000 total. Such funds, should the bid be successful, would be paid from the acquisition fund, specifically 39-73-840.
- Section 3** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval as provided by law.

Adopted by the Council of the City of Kewanee, Illinois this 14th day of August, 2017.

ATTEST:



Melinda Edwards, City Clerk



Steve Looney, Mayor

RECORD OF THE VOTE	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Mayor Steve Looney	X			
Council Member Deann Schweitzer	X			
Council Member Andrew Koehler	X			
Council Member Steve Faber	X			
Council Member Michael Yaklich	X			