ORDINANCE NO. 896

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A HYDRONIX SEWER LIFT STATION BY THE SEWER DEPARTMENT; EXEMPTING THE PURCHASE FROM THE PUBLIC BIDDING PROCESS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City is desirous of purchasing a sewer lift station retrofit package to repair the present lift station located at 34th and Maple Street, which has numerous mechanical problems; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to begin standardizing its sewer plant treatment and collection equipment in order to promote a more efficient utilization of existing equipment; and

WHEREAS, it is presently operating with three (3) Hydronix lift stations and two (2) additional Hydronix pumps at the treatment plant; and

WHEREAS, it wishes to purchase additional Hydronix equipment to be compatible with the present Hydronix equipment; and

WHEREAS, ORS 279.015 (2) provides that the City Council acting in its role as Contract Review Board for the City may exempt certain contracts from the public bidding process; and

WHEREAS, ORS 279.017 (2)(d) provides that the Board may exempt certain products from public bidding where it finds that efficient utilization of existing equipment requires the acquisition of compatible equipment, now therefore

THE CITY OF CANBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> The City Council acting in its capacity as Contract Review Board finds that the purchase of a Hydronix made retrofit package for the repair of the pump station will result in a more efficient utilization of equipment because it is compatible with the Hydronix equipment presently being utilized in the City of Canby, and therefore, is exempt from the public bidding requirements pursuant to ORS 279.017 (2)(d).

<u>Section 2</u>. The Mayor and City Administrator are hereby authorized and directed to make, execute and deliver a purchase order in the name of the City of Canby and on its behalf for the purchase of one Hydronix, Inc. pumping station package for the 34th and Maple Street lift station retrofit in the amount of \$22,271.00.

<u>Section 3.</u> In order to effectuate the repairs of the lift station as soon as possible to benefit the citizens of Canby, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final reading and action by the Canby City Council.

SUBMITTED to the Canby City Council and read the first time at a regular meeting thereof, on Wednesday, August 4, 1993; ordered posted as required by the Canby City Charter and scheduled for second reading and action of the Council at a regular meeting thereof on Wednesday, August 18, 1993, after 7:30 p.m., in the Council Chambers at City Hall.

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Marilyn K. Perkett, City Recorder

ENACTED by the Canby City Council at a regular meeting thereof on Wednesday, August 18, 1993, by the following vote:

YEAS 6 Nays 0

Scott Taylor, Mayor

ATTEST:

Marilyn K. Perkett, City Recorder