## City of Bellbrook State of Ohio

## Resolution No. 2022-R-15

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENTS WITH BUCKEYE ENERGY BROKERS, INC. TO PROVIDE ELECTRIC AND NATURAL GAS AGGREGATION SERVICES

WHEREAS, in 2003 the electorate of the City of Bellbrook approved development of a plan of operation for the governance of electric aggregation through Ordinance 2003-1 and natural gas aggregation through Ordinance 2003-2 to provide an opportunity for consumers within the City to collectively realize savings and lower costs for energy delivery; and

WHEREAS, the City still desires to provide opportunities for savings for the community and wishes to bring the plan of operation for aggregation forward; and

WHEREAS, Section 240.03(b) of the Code of Ordinances of Bellbrook allows contracts for professional services be entered into by the City Manager without use of formal or informal competitive procedures

## NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF BELLBROOK HEREBY RESOLVES:

Section 1. After due deliberation, City Council authorizes the City Manager to enter into professional services agreements with Buckeye Energy Brokers, Inc. for consultation of electric and natural gas aggregation services.

Section 2. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the City Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including §121.22 of the Revised Code of the State of Ohio.

Section 3. That this resolution shall take effect and be in force forthwith.

PASSED BY City Council this 13<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2022.

7 Yeas; 0 Nays.

AUTHENTICATION:

Michael W. Schweller, Mayor

Robert Schommer, Clerk of Council