

ORDINANCE NO. 2120

AN ORDINANCE to amend and reordain the second sentence of the first paragraph and the first sentence of the last paragraph of Section 2-86, Article VII, Chapter 2 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1963, as amended; which Chapter 2 relates to ADMINISTRATION, which Article VII relates to PURCHASES AND CONTRACTUAL SERVICES, which Section 2-86 relates to PROCEDURE AS TO CONTRACTS; COMPETITIVE BIDS, which second sentence of the first paragraph thereof relates to SUPPLIES AND SERVICES OVER \$5,000.00 REQUIRE BIDS, and which first sentence of the last paragraph thereof relates to WRITTEN CONTRACTS REQUIRED WHEN EXPENDITURE EXCEEDS \$5,000.00.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That the second sentence of the first paragraph, Section 2-86, Article VII, Chapter 2 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1963, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended and reordained to read as follows:

When the estimated amount of supplies, materials, equipment and contractual services needed or personal property to be disposed of equals five thousand dollars or over, the city purchasing agent shall, and in other cases may if practicable to secure competitive bids, advertise for sealed bids in a newspaper having general circulation in the city in such a manner and for such time as he may determine.

Section 2. That the first sentence of the last paragraph of Section 2-86, Article VII, Chapter 2 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1963, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended and reordained to read as follows:

If the amount of the expenditure is to exceed five thousand dollars, a written contract shall be executed.

Section 3. That the title of and an informal memorandum explaining this ordinance shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation published in the city not later than five days following its introduction together with a notice containing the time and place for a public hearing. The city clerk shall have the full text of this ordinance printed in sufficient numbers to supply copies to meet request. The city clerk shall note the date of introduction and first reading, the date of publication, the date of the public hearing, and the date of the second reading and final passage in the minutes of the meeting. This ordinance shall become effective July 1, 1976.

CHARLES E. BEATLEY, JR.
Mayor

FINAL PASSAGE: June 22, 1976