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September 30, 2022

The City Council Niagara Falls, New York

RE: Agreement with Orkin, LLC (Pest Control Services)

Council Members:

As you are all well aware, the City has received numerous complaints from residents in the area of 56th, 57th, 58<sup>th</sup>, 59<sup>th</sup> and 60th Streets near Buffalo Avenue concerning rats. In addition to enhanced monitoring by the City's Department of Public Works, it is recommended that the City Council approve an agreement with Orkin, LLC.

Orkin is the nationally known leader in pest control services. Under the proposed one (1) year agreement, Orkin personnel well investigate and set traps throughout the neighborhood. Additionally, Orkin staff will check the traps twice a month for the first two months and once a month for the next 10 months. The cost of proposed Orkin contract is for \$64,700.00, which includes purchase of equipment (traps). Funding is available from Tribal Revenue reserves.

Will the Council vote to approve and authorize the Mayor to execute any documents necessary to effectuate the same?

Respectfully submitted,

Robert M. Restaino Mayor

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