ORDINANCE	NO.	1724

AN ORDINANCE TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; TO DIRECT THE PURCHASE OF FOUR 500 KVA TRANSFORMERS; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND FOR PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEXINGTON, NEBRASKA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That during the last week of April, 1983, a transformer providing electric service to Cornland Dressed Beef has failed; that the present transformer is undersized and will not handle the increased load required in the event of warmer temperatures; that the time required for bidding a replacement transformer will move the installation date into the month of June, when warm weather is expected and load will be higher than provided by the temporary transformer; that by reason of the foregoing facts an emergency exists calling for immediate action to prevent serious loss of property, and that estimates of costs and advertising for bids should be waived.

Section 2. That the requirements of Section 16-322, R.R.S. 1943 requiring estimate of costs and advertising for bids for replacement transformer are hereby waived.

Section 3. That the City Manager is hereby directed to negotiate for the purchase of four (4) 500 KVA transformers, at the best available price, considering quality, delivery time, and cost.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon publication in pamphlet form.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 10th day of May, 1983.

CITY OF LEXINGTON, NEBRASKA

ATTEST:

Deputy City Clerk