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**VILLAGE OF LOMBARD
REQUEST FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACTION
For Inclusion on Board Agenda
Bids and Proposals**

TO : President and Village Board of Trustees
 FROM : Scott R. Niehaus, Village Manager
 DATE : March 9, 2022 Agenda Date March 17, 2022
 TITLE : Bid Opening For: Six New Ford Interceptor Utility Vehicles
 SUBMITTED BY: Tom Ellis, Operations Superintendent *TE*

RESULTS:

Date Bids Were Published _____ Bidding Closed _____
 Total Number of Bids Received _____
 Total Number of Bidders Meeting Specifications _____
 Bid Security Required _____ Yes _____ X _____ No
 Performance Bond Required _____ Yes _____ X _____ No
 Were Any Bids Withdrawn _____ Yes _____ X _____ No

Explanation:

Waiver of Bids Requested? _____ X _____ Yes _____ No
 If yes, explain: Joint Purchase through Suburban Purchasing Cooperative (contract # 204).
 Award Recommended to Lowest _____ X _____ Yes _____ No

Responsible Bidder?

If no, explain:

FISCAL IMPACT:

Budget Estimate \$ 215,841.00
 Amount of Award \$ 226,086.00

BACKGROUND/RECOMMENDATION:

Staff seeks Board approval to award a contract to Currie Motors of Frankfort (IL) for 6 new Ford Interceptor Utilities and to declare 6 vehicles as surplus.

Has Recommended Bidder Worked for Village Previously _____ X _____ Yes _____ No
 If yes, was quality of work acceptable _____ X _____ Yes _____ No

REVIEW (as needed):

Village Attorney XX _____ Date _____
 Finance Director XX _____ Date _____
 Village Manager XX _____ Date _____

NOTE: All materials must be submitted to and approved by the Village Manager's Office by 4:30 pm, Wednesday, prior to the Board Agenda distribution.



To: Village President and Board of Trustees

Through: Carl S. Goldsmith, Director of Public Works *CSG*

From: Tom Ellis, Operations Superintendent *TE*

Date: March 9, 2022

Subject: FY2023 Vehicle Replacements

Background

Included in the Vehicle Reserve FY2023 Budget is the replacement of 4 Police Department squad cars. In addition to the 4 police cars budgeted for replacement in 2023, Staff would like to replace 2 of the hybrid police cars that were purchased in 2020. The 2020 hybrid vehicles have experienced multiple performance issues. These vehicles have experienced multiple mechanical issues that result in the vehicles completely shutting down while being operated on the road. The impacted hybrid vehicles have been to three (3) different Ford dealerships for repairs. The vehicles have been diagnosed by Ford technicians and have had multiple updates to the software, which have not resolved the issue. After leaving each dealership the vehicles have continued to experience the malfunctions. Staff has contacted Ford's corporate office for resolution for these issues with no satisfaction. These mechanical issues continue to happen across the hybrid fleet. These issues are not isolated to the Village of Lombard. Staff has been in communication with the Illinois Fleet Managers Association and Illinois Association of Police Chiefs to determine the impact of the issue among local police departments.

Currie Motors the dealer that holds the contract advised the Village that the delivery time for Police Interceptors is 30 weeks from the date of the order being placed. If the Village were to order the vehicles in April, we don't expect to receive the vehicles until sometime near November. Due to the limited production of the Police Interceptors, Ford will cut off orders once the production capacity is reached on pending orders. In light of the current issues we are having with the Hybrid units, Public Works and Police are requesting authorization to place an order now for the squad cars slated to be replaced in FY2023.

With the ongoing issues with the hybrid vehicles and the police department preferring to drive the existing nonhybrid squad cars, there will be more utilization of the existing non-hybrid fleet, which will put a strain on these aging vehicles. The vehicles being replaced are five (5) line cars with an average of 90K miles.

Staff would like authorization for advancing the purchase of the four (4) 2023 police cars and the replacement of the two (2) 2020 hybrid police cars to 2022. Shortages in raw materials have affected the auto industry and have made ordering of replacement vehicles very difficult with lengthy wait times. The fiscal impact to the budget by advancing the purchases will result in \$10,245.00 of additional funds needed for the purchase.

Unit Number	Old Vehicle Description	New Vehicle Description	Cost	Budgeted Amount
Police Department				
PP757	2018 Inter Utility	2022 Inter Utility	\$37,681	\$33,876
PP758	2018 Inter Utility	2022 Inter Utility	\$37,681	\$34,221
PP759	2018 Inter Utility	2022 Inter Utility	\$37,681	\$33,876
PP760	2018 Inter Utility	2022 Inter Utility	\$37,681	\$33,876
PP762	2020 Inter Utility	2022 Inter Utility	\$37,682	\$34,512
PP763	2020 Inter Utility	2022 Inter Utility	\$37,681	\$45,480
Total			\$226,086	\$215,841

The Ford Interceptor Utility is available for joint purchase through the Suburban Purchasing Cooperative (SPC contract #204). The current contract winner for the SPC is Currie Motors of Frankfort (IL).

Recommendation

Staff recommends that the Board of Trustees waive the competitive bidding requirements and award a contract to Currie Motors of Frankfort (IL) in the amount of \$226,086 for six (6) 2022 Ford Police Interceptor Utilities. Staff further recommends that the Village Board declare Village unit numbers PP757, PP758, PP759, PP760, PP762 and PP763 as surplus per the attached ordinance and authorize their sale at public auction. Waiver of first reading is requested on this ordinance.

ORDINANCE _____

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED BY THE VILLAGE OF LOMBARD

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Corporate Authorities of the Village of Lombard, it is no longer necessary or useful to or in the best interest for the Village of Lombard to retain ownership of the personal property hereinafter described; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Lombard to sell said personal property at public auction to be held by Obenauf Auction Service. Vehicles valued less than the cost of auction fees and would not result in a net profit for the Village shall be sold directly to a salvage yard.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF LOMBARD, DU PAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:

Section 1: Pursuant to 65 ILCS 5/11-76-4, the President and Board of Trustees find the following described property:

Unit #PP757 2018 Ford Interceptor Utility VIN # 1FM5K8ARXJGB12000
Unit #PP749 2018 Ford Interceptor Utility VIN # 1FM5K8AR1JGB12001
Unit #PP750 2018 Ford Interceptor Utility VIN # 1FM5K8AR3JGB12002
Unit #PP751 2018 Ford Interceptor Utility VIN # 1FM5K8AR5JGB12003
Unit #PP795 2020 Ford Interceptor Utility VIN # 1FM5K8AW0LGA18409
Unit #PP763 2020 Ford Interceptor Utility VIN # 1FM5K8AW2LGC14268

now owned by the Village of Lombard is no longer necessary or useful to the Village of Lombard and the best interests of the Village of Lombard will be served by its sale.

Section 2: Pursuant to said 65 ILCS 5/11-76-4, the Village President and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to sell the aforementioned personal property now owned by the Village of Lombard, at public auction, by Obenauf Auction Service to the highest bidder on said property. Vehicles valued less than the cost of auction fees and would not result in a net profit for the Village shall be sold directly to a salvage yard.

Section 3: The Village Manager is hereby authorized and may direct Obenauf Auction Service to advertise the sale of the aforementioned personal property in a newspaper published within the community before the date of said public auction.

Section 4: No bid which is less than the minimum price set forth in the list of property to be sold shall be accepted.

Section 5: The Village Manager or his designee shall cause to be transferred any titles or other legal documents pursuant to the sale.

Section 6: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and approval as provided by law.

Ordinance No. _____

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Passed on first reading this ____ day of _____, 2022

First reading waived by action of the Board of Trustees this ____ day of _____, 2022

Passed on second reading this ____ day of _____, 2022

Ayes: _____

Nays: _____

Absent: _____

Approved this ____ day of _____, 2022

Keith Giagnorio
Village President

ATTEST:

Elizabeth Brezinski
Village Clerk