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VILLAGE OF LOMBARD
REQUEST FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES ACTION
For Inclusion on Board Agenda

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- Resolution or Ordinance (Blue)**
- Recommendations of Boards, Commissions & Committees (Green)**
- Other Business (Pink)**

TO : PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES

FROM: William T. Lichter, Village Manager

DATE : November 10, 2004 **B of T:** December 2, 2004

SUBJECT: Declaration of Surplus Property - Disposal of old SCBA Equipment
(Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus)

SUBMITTED BY: George E. Seagraves, Fire Chief 

BACKGROUND/POLICY IMPLICATIONS:

Requesting the Board of Trustees to declare 58 Air Packs surplus.

Fiscal Impact/Funding Source:

Review (as necessary):


Finance Director _____	Date _____
Village Manager <u>William T. Lichter</u>	Date <u>11/18/04</u>

NOTE: All materials must be submitted to and approved by the Village Manager's Office by 12:00 noon, Wednesday, prior to the Agenda distribution.



November 11, 2004

TO : William T. Lichter, Village Manager

FROM : George E. Seagraves, Fire Chief 

RE : **DISPOSAL OF OLD SCBA EQUIPMENT**

On April 19, 2004, the Village Board of Trustees approved the purchase of new Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for the Fire Department and subsequently approved the replacement of the air packs utilized by the Public Works Department. The SCBAs currently worn by the fire department have no value to us and need to be disposed of.

During our negotiation of the purchase of the new units no vendor would give any consideration for the trade-in of our units. Our SCBA vendor did find a company that made a verbal offer of \$2,000 for all SCBA equipment, spare cylinders and spare parts.

Additionally, we contacted the manufacturer of our old equipment and were informed they had no interest. We then contacted the fire departments known to use the same SCBA equipment and again found no interest.

Based upon this I recommend a two-phase approach to dispose of the old SCBA following the Board of Trustees' action in declaring the old Interspiro Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus surplus.

Phase One

Allow the fire department to list the equipment on the Illinois State Fire Marshal's Fire Equipment Exchange Program for a period of two months and no more than three months. Any department or recognized agency requesting any or all of the air packs would be given the air packs.



Phase Two

If after the three-month period of time any air packs would then be sold to the used equipment vendor for whatever amount is obtainable for the equipment remaining. Any equipment remaining would be made safe for disposal and then discarded.

Although \$2,000 is not a miniscule amount of money there may be departments in Illinois who could benefit from this donation. Although our air packs are old and behind the technology curve, they are still usable with approximately 2.5 years left on the cylinder life expectancy.

GES:lh

- c. *Michael Torrence, Battalion Chief*
Michael Kalina, Battalion Chief
Charles Ralis, Battalion Chief
Randy Deicke, Fire Lieutenant

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DECLARATION OF SURPLUS
MUNICIPAL OWNED PROPERTY

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 the following described personal property:

- Interspiro Self Contained Breathing Apparatus

Whereas, the Village routinely declares such type of surplus and the best interest of the Village of Lombard will be served by declaration of surplus.

NOW, 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 Village President and Board of Trustees find the following described property:

- Interspiro Self Contained Breathing Apparatus

now owned by the Village of Lombard no longer necessary or useful to the Village of Lombard and the best interest of Lombard will be served by declaring the property surplus.

Passed on first reading this _____ day of _____, 2004.

First reading waived by action of the Board of Trustees the _____ day of _____, 2004.

Passed on second reading this _____ day of _____, 2004.

AYES: _____

NAYS: _____

ABSENT: _____

APPROVED by me this _____ day of _____, 2004.

William J. Mueller
Village President

ATTEST:

Barbara Johnson
Deputy Village Clerk

Published by me in pamphlet form this day of 2004.

APPROVAL AS TO FORM:

Thomas P. Bayer
Village Attorney