City of Carrollton

Legislation Text

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Consider Approval Of The Purchase Of Three Vehicles From Sam Pack Five Star Ford Through An Interlocal Agreement With The Texas Smart Buy Purchasing Cooperative In An Amount Not To Exceed $205,743.00.

BACKGROUND:
Fleet Services is recommending the purchase of three vehicles assigned to the Police Department. The recommended purchase will consist of three Ford Explorers. The current vehicles in the fleet will be retired per Fleet's policy on age and maintenance. The average expected life span of these types of vehicles is five years. The vehicles being replaced are all six years old.

These vehicles are used daily for traffic control in and around the City. The recommended replacements are being made after discussions with operators and Police administration to properly align vehicle specifications with current business needs.

Staff recommends purchasing the vehicles from Sam Pack Five Star Ford through the Texas Smart Buy Cooperative Purchasing Agreement. This cooperative purchasing entity meets all state of Texas competitive bidding requirements.   The use of cooperative purchasing agencies is allowed under Texas law.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:
The trucks will be purchased from budgeted funds from the Fleet Replacement Fund.

Sam Pack Five Star Ford

Ford Explorer (3) (Texas Smart Buy) $205,743.00

IMPACT ON COMMUNITY SUSTAINABILITY:
Purchasing vehicles such as these ensures that City employees have the resources necessary to do their job, which is a City Council strategic goal.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION/ACTION DESIRED:
Staff recommends City Council approval of the purchase of three Ford Explorers from Sam Pack Five Star Ford through an interlocal agreement with the Texas Smart Buy Purchasing Cooperative in an amount not to exceed

$205,743.00.