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RESOLUTION AWARDING PURCHASE ORDER FOR TANDEM TRACTOR WITH LOW-BOY TRAILER

WHEREAS, the Traffic Maintenance Division of the Traffic Field Operations Department has the immediate need to replace a tandem tractor and low-boy trailer having high mileage and excessive repair and maintenance costs; and

WHEREAS, bids were received on January 7, 2020, for the purchase of a tandem tractor with low-boy trailer and the following bids were received;

	<u>City/State</u>	Price Each
White's Tractor and Truck Companies, LLC	Greensboro, NC	\$218,028
Triad Freightliner of Greensboro, Inc.	Greensboro, NC	223,020

WHEREAS, White's Tractor and Truck Companies, LLC has offered a bid for an International HX620 tandem tractor with Fontaine Magnitude 55L low-boy trailer for a total cost of \$218,028; and

WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Finance Committee that a purchase order be awarded to White's Tractor and Truck Companies, LLC, low bidder meeting specifications, for the purchase of an International HX620 tandem tractor with Fontaine Magnitude 55L low-boy trailer for a total cost of \$218,028.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem that a purchase order is hereby awarded to White's Tractor and Truck Companies, LLC, low bidder meeting specifications, for the purchase of an International HX620 tandem tractor with Fontaine Magnitude 55L low-boy trailer for a total cost of \$218,028 and that all other bids be rejected. The bid specifications, the company's proposal, and the City's purchase order will constitute the contract.

Winston-Salem City Council APPROVED February 17, 2020

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that award of this purchase order constitutes a preliminary determination as to the qualifications of the bidder. The City is not legally bound to perform the purchase order until the purchase order is duly executed by the City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this purchase is included in the FY 2019-20 capital budget and will be financed through the North Carolina Municipal Leasing Corporation.