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**RESOLUTION AWARDING PURCHASE ORDER FOR
VEHICLE LIGHTING AND INTERNAL EQUIPMENT**

WHEREAS, after due advertisement, bids were received and publicly opened by the City/County Purchasing Department at 10:00 a.m., November 21, 2022, for Vehicle Lighting and Internal Equipment used to upfit 2023 Ford Interceptor police pursuit vehicles for the Winston-Salem Police Department. The following bids were received:

	<u>City/State</u>	<u>Total Bid</u>
Batteries of NC, LLC	Angier, NC	\$423,177.56
Horace Ilderton Conversion Co.	High Point, NC	\$482,397.00

WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Finance Committee that a purchase order be awarded to Batteries of NC, LLC, the low bidder, for the Vehicle Lighting and Internal Equipment in the amount of \$423,177.56.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem that a purchase order for Vehicle Lighting and Internal Equipment used to upfit 2023 Ford Interceptor police pursuit vehicles is hereby awarded to Batteries of NC, LLC, in the amount of \$423,177.56 and that the bid specifications, the company's proposal, and the City's purchase order will constitute the contract.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the 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 the purchase is included in the FY 2022-23 capital budget and will be financed through the City's internal leasing program with funding for the lease payments available in the General Fund FY 2022-23 budget.