## **City Council – Action Request Form**

Date: November 14, 2023

**To:** Mayor, Mayor Pro Tempore and Members of the City Council

Aaron King, Assistant City Manager

From: Nicholas Geis, Director of Fleet Services

Darren Redfield, Purchasing Director

## **Council Action Requested:**

Resolution Awarding Purchase Order for Two 3/4 Ton Crew Cab Pickup Trucks

Strategic Focus Area: Service Excellence

Strategic Objective: Ensure Service Delivery Efficiency and Effectiveness

**Strategic Plan Action Item:** No

Key Work Item: No



## **Summary of Information:**

Vegetation Management is requesting to replace two ¾ ton crew cab pickup trucks that are used to provide maintenance to all Recreation and Parks facilities City-wide. Both existing vehicles are well past their useful life, have high mileage and excessive maintenance/repair costs. See Exhibit A for detailed replacement information.

Purchasing advertised a formal bid for the purchase of two ¾ ton crew cab pickup trucks, and three bids meeting specifications were received on October 20, 2023 as follows:

	<u>City/State</u>	Price Each	Price for Two
Piedmont Truck Center	Greensboro, NC	\$50,025.00	\$100,050.00
Modern Automotive	Winston-Salem, NC	50,051.00	100,102.00
Capital CDJR	Indian Trail, NC	60,427.00	120,854.00

It is recommended that a purchase order be awarded to Piedmont Truck Center for the purchase of two 2024 Ford F-250 pickup trucks at a cost of \$50,025.00 each for a total amount of \$100,050.00.

The FY 2023-24 capital equipment budget includes sufficient funds for this purchase, which will be financed through the City's internal leasing program.

M/WBE comment: There are no known area minority or woman-owned companies that sell these vehicles. See Exhibit A for a list of bidders and workforce demographics for the recommended vendor.

Committee Action:				
Committee	FC (11/14/23)	Action	Approval	
For	3 Ayes	Against		
Remarks: MF	T Adams absent			