

Resolution #2019-0572
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**RESOLUTION AWARDING PURCHASE ORDERS FOR
VEHICLE LIGHTING EQUIPMENT**

WHEREAS, after due advertisement, bids were received and publicly opened by the City/County Purchasing Department at 10:00 a.m., Thursday, September 26, 2019, for vehicle lighting equipment to upfit Dodge Charger police vehicles for the Winston-Salem Police Department; and

WHEREAS, bid specifications required unit pricing for Pro-Guard and Gamber Johnson manufactured equipment for use inside the vehicle and unit pricing for Emergency lighting equipment manufactured by Federal Signal and the following bids were received:

Internal Equipment		
	<u>City/State</u>	<u>Total Bid</u>
West Chatham Warning Devices, Inc.	Savannah, GA	\$43,293.60
B&G Electronics & Communications, Inc.	Dover, NC	51,216.59
Batteries of NC, LLC	Lillington, NC	22,946.20
Federal Equipment		
Ilderton Conversion Company dba Ilderton Emergency Lighting	High Point, NC	\$80,620.50

WHEREAS, the bid submitted by Batteries of NC, LLC for vehicle lighting equipment was a partial bid failing to meet bid specifications and cannot be considered for award; and

WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Finance Committee that purchase orders be awarded to West Chatham Warning Devices, Inc., for the internal equipment in the estimated amount of \$43,293.60 and to Ilderton Conversion Company, dba Ilderton Emergency Lighting, for the Federal Signal equipment, in the estimated amount of \$80,620.50, both the low bidders meeting specifications.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem that purchase orders for vehicle equipment lighting used to upfit Dodge

Chargers police vehicles are hereby awarded to West Chatham Warning Devices, Inc., for the internal equipment in the estimated amount of \$43,293.60 and to Ilderton Conversion Company dba Ilderton Emergency Lighting for the Federal Signal equipment in the estimated amount of \$80,620.50.

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 contract until the contract 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.

Winston-Salem City Council
APPROVED
October 21, 2019