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RESOLUTION AWARDING PURCHASE ORDER FOR THREE FIRE TRUCKS

WHEREAS, the Fire Department budgeted to replace three fire engines that have exceeded the minimum replacement criteria; and

WHEREAS, on October 25, 2019, the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC), a cooperative purchasing group, awarded competitive bid contract #FS12-19 per bid specifications to Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc. (Manassas, VA); and

WHEREAS, Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc. offered a quotation for three Pierce Enforcer pumper trucks, meeting contract specifications, in the amount of \$1,084,328 each, plus a single order processing charge of \$2,000, for a total cost of \$3,254,984; and

WHEREAS, the department recommends that a purchase order be awarded to Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc. for three Pierce Enforcer pumper trucks in the total amount of \$3,254,984. This recommendation is in accordance with N.C.G.S. 143-129(e)(3), an exception to formal bidding which authorizes “purchases made through a competitive bidding group purchasing program, which is a formally organized program that offers competitively obtained purchasing products and services at discount prices to two or more public agencies”; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Winston-Salem, upon approval by the Finance Committee, that a purchase order is hereby awarded to Atlantic Emergency Solutions, Inc. for three Pierce Enforcer pumper trucks in the total amount of \$3,254,984.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that award of this purchase order constitutes a preliminary determination as to the qualifications of the bidder. The contract specifications of

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#FS12-19 and the City's purchase order will constitute the contract. The City is not legally bound until the purchase order is duly executed by the City.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this purchase is included as part of the FY 2023-24 capital equipment budget and will be financed through the City's internal leasing program.