

City Council – Action Request Form

Date: April 11, 2023

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

From: Johnnie Taylor, Assistant City Manager
 Stevie Dulin, Sanitation Director
 Shantell McClam, Purchasing Director

Council Action Requested:
 Resolution Awarding Purchase Order for Hoist 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:

The Curbside Division of the Sanitation Department has the immediate need to replace three (3) hoist trucks that have exceeded the Fleet criteria for replacement. These trucks are essential to the City’s curbside refuse collection operations. See exhibit A for complete replacement information.

On May 18, 2021, The North Carolina Sheriff’s Association, a cooperative purchasing group, awarded competitive bid contract #22-06-0426R per bid specification to Carolina Environmental Systems, Inc. of Greensboro, NC. Carolina Environmental Systems, Inc. has offered a quotation for three (3) 2024 Freightliner M-2106 chassis with Palfinger Epsilon M13A70 loader systems that meet the specifications required by the City in the amount of \$233,592 each for a total cost of \$700,776.

N.C.G.S. 143-129(e)(3) 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.”

It is recommended that a purchase order be awarded to Carolina Environmental Systems, Inc. for three (3) 2024 Freightliner M-2106 chassis with Palfinger Epsilon M13A70 loader systems that meet the specifications required by the City in the amount of \$233,592 each for a total cost of \$700,776.

The purchase 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.

M/WBE comment: There are no known M/WBE vendors who offer this equipment. See exhibit A for the workforce demographics.

Committee Action:

Committee	PW/FIN 4.11	Action	Approval
For	Unanimous	Against	

Remarks: