

RESOLUTION NO. {{item.custom\_tracking\_number}}

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF EIGHT VEHICLES, IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$278,570, FROM THE FOLLOWING VENDORS: SEVEN PICKUP TRUCKS FROM RANDALL REED'S PLANET FORD 635 OF GARLAND, TEXAS AND ONE PICKUP TRUCK FROM CALDWELL COUNTRY FORD OF ROCKDALE, TEXAS; AND PROVIDING AN OPEN MEETINGS CLAUSE.

**Whereas**, on March 4, 2021, Council authorized the rejection of the original bids for the purchase of these vehicles to allow Staff the opportunity to re-bid these vehicles to include all-weather capabilities due to the lack of 4x4 City vehicles available during Winter Storm Uri;

**Whereas**, approval of these truck purchases will allow for the replacement of eight older 4x2 vehicles within the City's fleet with 4x4 vehicles that will have the ability to serve community needs in inclement weather situations - even though these vehicles will be assigned to the department defined in the "Description" column below, in the case of inclement weather, these vehicles may be assigned to other departments to best fulfill the needs of our community;

**Whereas**, on April 6, 2021, eight vendors submitted pricing on two independent bids - Staff recommends Council authorize the purchase of eight vehicles from the following vendors and as detailed more fully below:

- Seven ½-ton, 4x4 pickup trucks from Randall Reed's Planet Ford 635 of Garland, Texas for \$226,990; and
- One 1-ton, 4x4 pickup truck from Caldwell Country Ford of Rockdale, Texas for \$51,580;

**Whereas**, the recommended award of bids are as follows:

- 1) Staff recommends award of **Bid A** for **seven 1/2-ton light duty 4x4 full-size regular cab pick-ups** to **Randall Reed's Planet Ford 635**. The extended 5-year, 100,000-mile warranty is desired for Metering assets as they travel in excess of 15,000 miles per year.

| Description                            | Qty | Account #         | Project # | Budget   | Recommended Bid |
|--|-----|-------------------|-----------|----------|-----------------|
| Metering (replaces Asset No. 13706)    | 1   | 520-5300-535-6213 | 102323    | \$37,450 | \$33,920        |
| Metering (replaces Asset No. 13512)    | 1   | 520-5300-535-6213 | 102324    | \$37,449 | \$33,920        |
| Inspections (replaces Asset No. 12820) | 1   | 110-5947-519-6213 | 102331    | \$37,400 | \$31,830        |
| Police (replaces Asset No. 11608)      | 1   | 110-5900-521-6213 | 102337    | \$37,400 | \$31,830        |

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| Solid Waste (replaces Asset No. 13295) | 1 | 110-5900-540-6213 | 102342 | \$37,400         | \$31,830         |
| Streets (replaces Asset No. 12868)     | 1 | 110-5900-531-6213 | 102345 | \$37,120         | \$31,830         |
| Drainage (replaces Asset No. 13129)    | 1 | 292-2900-534-6213 | 102317 | \$40,700         | \$31,830         |
| <b>SUBTOTAL</b>                        |   |                   |        | <b>\$264,919</b> | <b>\$226,990</b> |

- 2) Staff recommends award of **Bid B** for **one 1-ton light duty 4x4 crew cab & chassis, dual rear wheels with utility body pick-up to Caldwell Country Ford.**

| <b>Description</b>                 | <b>Qty</b> | <b>Account #</b>  | <b>Project #</b> | <b>Budget</b> | <b>Recommended Bid</b> |
|------------------------------------|------------|-------------------|------------------|---------------|------------------------|
| Streets (replaces Asset No. 13296) | 1          | 110-5900-531-6213 | 102344           | \$51,580      | \$51,580               |

**Whereas,** funding for the purchase is included in the adopted fiscal year 2021 Budget as shown below:

| <b>Randall Reed's Planet Ford 635</b> | <b>Dept.</b> | <b>Account</b>    | <b>Project #</b> | <b>Budget</b>     | <b>Bid</b>        | <b>Remaining \$'s</b> |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 1/2-Ton Regular Cab Extended Warranty | Metering     | 520-5300-535-6213 | 102323           | \$ 37,450         | \$ 33,920         | \$ 3,530              |
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| 1/2-Ton Regular Cab                   | Inspections  | 110-5947-519-6213 | 102331           | \$ 37,400         | \$ 31,830         | \$ 5,570              |
| 1/2-Ton Regular Cab                   | Police       | 110-5900-521-6213 | 102337           | \$ 37,400         | \$ 31,830         | \$ 5,570              |
| 1/2-Ton Regular Cab                   | Solid Waste  | 110-5900-540-6213 | 102342           | \$ 37,400         | \$ 31,830         | \$ 5,570              |
| 1/2-Ton Regular Cab                   | Streets      | 110-5900-531-6213 | 102345           | \$ 37,120         | \$ 31,830         | \$ 5,290              |
| 1/2-Ton Regular Cab                   | Drainage     | 292-2900-534-6213 | 102317           | \$ 40,700         | \$ 31,830         | \$ 8,870              |
| <b>SUBTOTAL</b>                       |              |                   |                  | <b>\$ 264,919</b> | <b>\$ 226,990</b> | <b>\$ 37,929</b>      |

| <b>Caldwell Country Ford</b>  | <b>Dept.</b> | <b>Account</b>    | <b>Project #</b> | <b>Budget</b> | <b>Bid</b> | <b>Remaining \$'s</b> |
|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------------|---------------|------------|-----------------------|
| 1-Ton Crew Cab & Utility Body | Streets      | 110-5900-531-6213 | 102344           | \$ 51,580     | \$ 51,580  | \$ -                  |

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| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>\$ 316,499</b> | <b>\$ 278,570</b> | <b>\$ 37,929</b> |
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**Whereas,** the City Council has considered the matter and deems it in the public interest to authorize this action.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS, THAT:**

**Part 1: Findings.** All of the above premises are hereby found to be true and correct legislative and factual findings of the City Council of the City of Temple, Texas, and they are hereby approved and incorporated into the body of this Resolution as if copied in their entirety.

**Part 2:** The City Council authorizes the purchase of eight vehicles, in the total amount of \$278,570, from the following vendors: seven pickup trucks from Randall Reed's Planet Ford 635 of Garland, Texas and one pickup truck from Caldwell Country Ford of Rockdale, Texas and authorizes the City Manager, or her designee, after approval as to form by the City Attorney's Office to execute any documents necessary for these purchases.

**Part 3:** It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Resolution was passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of **May, 2021**.

THE CITY OF TEMPLE, TEXAS

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TIMOTHY A. DAVIS, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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Jana Lewellen  
City Secretary

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Kathryn H. Davis  
City Attorney