

Commission Meeting

October 3, 2023

Waste Wheel Carts Purchase

Bid 23-165

File Reference: 23-014(L)

Department:	Engineering & Environmental Services
Presenter:	Dr. Hameed Malik
Caption:	Receive as information Purchase of Waste Wheel Carts in amount of \$94,080.00 from Otto Environmental Systems. Requested by Engineering. Bid 23-165
Background:	Residential waste collection contracts requires Augusta, Georgia Environmental Operations (ES) to provide replacement carts upon receiving customer requests. Otto Environmental Systems (OTTO) is under contract for supply these carts. First order was placed in July 2023 and purchased 2240 carts (waste & recycling). However that inventory depleted quickly due to back request demand for older carts replacement. There was urgent need to purchase additional wheeled carts to maintain obligation and satisfactory level of waste collection contracted services.
Analysis:	OTTO is under contract for supply these carts. Engineering & Environmental Department made an emergency purchase of 1,120 residential 95-gallon waste carts and 560 residential 95-gallon recycling carts.
Financial Impact:	Funds in amount of \$94,080.00 are available in Environmental Services Operation FY2023 budget (542-04-4110/5213119).
Alternatives:	Not recommended.
Recommendation:	Receive as information Purchase of Waste Wheel Carts in amount of \$94,080 from Otto Environmental Systems. Requested by Engineering. Bid 23-165
Funds are available in the following accounts:	(\$94,080.00) 542-044110 – 52.13119 Solid Waste Funds (Garbage Collections)
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