

## **Staff Report**

**Subject:** 2024 Vehicle Purchase

**Department/Program:** Ballwin Police Department

## **Explanation:**

The Ballwin Police Department has contacted two Missouri dealerships who hold Prefered Vendor Contracts for the 2024 Dodge Durangos, for the purpose of receiving price quotes for four vehicles.

Landmark Dodge (State Contract #MB00089820) stated they expect to receive eight 2024 Dodge Durangos in the next 30-45 days. They cannot be certain the number of vehicles they will receive due to Dodge cutting production. Landmark Dodge has given us a verbal quote of \$43,000 per vehicle.

Lou Fusz Ford in Chesterfield, MO was also contacted and they provided a verbal quote of \$45,300 per vehicle. Neither quote is definite due to production and availability. The exact cost of each vehicle will not be known until they arrive at the dealership.

The Ballwin Police Department has \$220,000 budgeted this year for four new SUV patrol vehicles. This amount includes the cost of the vehicle striping, and other new equipment to outfit them.

## **Recommendation:**

The Ballwin Police Department is requesting approval from the Board of Alderman to approve the purchase of four new Dodge Durangos from Landmark Dodge for a total price not to exceed \$200,000.

Submitted By: Captain John Bergfeld

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