



REQUEST FOR ACTION CITY COUNCIL

Agenda Date: 10/20/2026
Agenda Section: Consent Agenda

Department Origination: Public Works

Agenda Item: Approve the Parks and Trails Division Ziegler Inc. Rental Lease Agreement in the Amount of \$19,270.00 for Rental of a Caterpillar 906 Compact Wheel Loader

Approval Required: Simple Majority Vote

BACKGROUND

Currently the Parks and Trails Division snowplows trails, parking lots, and cul-de-sacs with pickup truck plows. For removal of snow on trails on roundabouts, a vendor is hired as a professional service. Staff has networked with other communities in an effort to provide the most efficient snow removal and ice control during the winters. Through these conversations, we have learned that other communities (and vendors that provide professional services) have seen efficiencies when using wheel loaders with plows to remove snow.

This coming winter, the Parks and Trails Division would like to rent a Caterpillar 906 compact wheel loader with an adjustable plow. Staff will document the efficiencies gained while plowing the trails and cul-de-sacs throughout the winter season over a four-month rental lease agreement period. The rental term's starting month will be December 2026 and end after March 2027.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

The total cost of the four-month rental lease agreement is \$19,270.00. \$5,020.00 (including the \$270 freight charge) will be invoiced for the month of December and the funds will come from the 2026 Parks and Trails budget expenditure. The remaining \$14,250.00 will be split into three equal payments of \$4,750.00 for the months of January, February, and March that will come from the 2027 Parks and Trails budget expenditures. The proposed 2027 budget submittal included the expense to rent the compact wheel loader.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

Staff recommends approving the Parks and Trails Division Ziegler Inc. Rental Lease Agreement in the Amount of \$19,270.00 for Rental of a Caterpillar 906 Compact Wheel Loader.

COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED

MOTION to approve the Parks and Trails Division Ziegler Inc. Rental Lease Agreement in the Amount of \$19,270.00 for Rental of a Caterpillar 906 Compact Wheel Loader.