

**RESOLUTION NO. 15-24**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO PURCHASE A TRUCK AND TRAILER THROUGH AN INTERLOCAL CONTRACT FOR COOPERATIVE PURCHASING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the Camden Public Works Department is in need of a tractor and trailer for solid waste operations; and

**WHEREAS**, the interim public works director sought out proposals for a compatible tractor and trailer that will satisfy the needs of the department; and

**WHEREAS**, the interim public works director located a suitable Freightliner tractor and trailer available from Arkansas Municipal Equipment through a contract negotiated by Sourcewell; and

**WHEREAS**, A.C.A. § 19-11-249 authorizes a city to participate in a cooperative purchasing agreement for the acquisition of commodities; and

**WHEREAS**, Sourcewell is a government to government procurement service that uses mass circulation and minority emphasis print media and internet services to post legal notices and bid solicitations which satisfy formal competitive bid processes for local government; and

**WHEREAS**, Sourcewell obtained a contract for a 2024 Freightliner M2 Plus tractor and 25YD Challenger Pak Mor Hook Up trailer from Arkansas Municipal Equipment for the negotiated price of \$ 255,500; and

**WHEREAS**, the 2024 annual operating budget for public works solid waste included \$300,000.00 for the purchase of a commercial truck under line item 09-550-59440 (capital outlay/trucks).

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAMDEN, ARKANSAS, THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** The Mayor is hereby authorized to purchase a 2024 Freightliner M2 Plus tractor and 25YD Challenger Pak Mor Hook Up trailer from Arkansas Municipal Equipment, 14263 Highway 270 West, Poyen, Arkansas, for the negotiated price of \$ 255,500, as shown on the attached quote.

**PASSED AND APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.**

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**Mayor**

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**City Clerk**