



STAFF REPORT	
SUBJECT: Authorization for Purchase of a Wood Chipper	MEETING DATE: May 4, 2023
SUBMITTED BY: Adeline Leyba, Public Works Director	
PURPOSE OF REPORT: <input type="checkbox"/> Information only <input type="checkbox"/> Discussion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Action Item	

WHAT IS BEING ASKED OF THE CITY COUNCIL/BOARD:

The City Council is being asked to approve the purchase of a Bandit Wood chipper from Cal-Line Equipment in the amount of \$65,353.53

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:

The City is need of a new wood chipper to perform various tasks. The existing equipment is very old and has continuous problems. The cost of repairs and rentals has nearly outweighed the cost of a new one. The chipper will allow for staff to be more efficient in brush clearing and reduce the need to hire a professional tree removal contractor. Staff has solicited quotes from various companies and found a supplier who has an approved state contract. This would be a direct purchase from Cal-Line Equipment

The cost for the chipper is \$65,353.53. Council has approved the allocation of up to \$80,000 for equipment.

OPTIONS:

1. Move to approve the purchase of the equipment in the amount of \$65,353.53.
2. Other direction

FISCAL IMPACT:

None \$65,353.53 Budgeted Item? Yes No

Budget Adjustment Needed? Yes No If yes, amount of appropriation increase: \$

Affected fund(s): General Fund Measure P Fund Measure V Fund Other: 200-3040-800-681

Comments:

STRATEGIC PLAN IMPACT:

- Goal #1: Make Clearlake a Visibly Cleaner City
- Goal #2: Make Clearlake a Statistically Safer City
- Goal #3: Improve the Quality of Life in Clearlake with Improved Public Facilities
- Goal #4: Improve the Image of Clearlake
- Goal #5: Ensure Fiscal Sustainability of City

Goal #6: Update Policies and Procedures to Current Government Standards

Goal #7: Support Economic Development

SUGGESTED MOTIONS:

Move to approve the purchase with Cal-Line Equipment in the amount of \$65,353.53

Attachments: