

CITY OF CLEARLAKE

City Council

STAFF REPORT	
SUBJECT: Disposal and Sale of Surplus Vehicles	MEETING DATE: March 21, 2024
SUBMITTED BY: Tim Hobbs, Chief of Police	
PURPOSE OF REPORT:	
WHAT IS BEING ASKED OF THE CITY COUNCIL/BOARD:	
Authorize the disposal of three vehicles through a dismantler, the sale of one vehicle at auction, and adopt Resolution No. 2024-12.	
BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION:	
The Police Department has three no longer-used vehicles. The vehicles have numerous mechanical failures and/or safety issues and are not feasible to repair. They are stored at the Airport Road property and the City Hall parking lot. The vehicles are visible to passing traffic, which constitutes visual blight, and their ongoing storage is inconsistent with the Council's adopted goal: Make Clearlake a Visibly Cleaner City. The Clearlake Municipal Code authorizes the City Council to declare obsolete equipment surplus and further direct the disposal of said property. Given the issues with these vehicles, including safety issues, it is impractical and not recommended to try to sell three of the vehicles to the public. These three vehicles will be disposed of through a dismantler. One vehicle is in a condition that it is not of use to the city but is acceptable for sale to the public. This vehicle will be sold at auction.	
OPTIONS:	
 Authorize the Chief of Police to dispose of three vehicles through a dismantler, sell one vehicle at auction, and adopt Resolution No. 2024-12. Provide direction to staff. 	
FISCAL IMPACT:	
None ☐ \$0 Budgeted Item? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
Budget Adjustment Needed? Tes No If yes, amount of appropriation increase: \$	
Affected fund(s): General Fund Measure P Fund Measure V Fund	d Other:
Comments: The total cost to dismantle two vehicles and the trailer is \$750. The sale of the third vehicle will result in more income than the cost of dismantling the others.	

STRATEGIC PLAN IMPACT:	
☐ Goal #1: Make Clearlake a Visibly	Cleaner City
Goal #2: Make Clearlake a Statist	ically Safer City
Goal #3: Improve the Quality of L	ife in Clearlake with Improved Public Facilities
Goal #4: Improve the Image of Cl	earlake
Goal #5: Ensure Fiscal Sustainabil	ity of City
Goal #6: Update Policies and Prod	cedures to Current Government Standards
Goal #7: Support Economic Devel	lopment
SUGGESTED MOTIONS:	
 Authorize the Chief of Police auction, and adopt Resolution 	to dispose of three vehicles through a dismantler, sell one vehicle at in No. 2024-12.
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