

**Columbus Consolidated Government
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

TO:	Mayor and Councilors
AGENDA SUBJECT:	Repair of Bulldozer for Public Works
INITIATED BY:	Finance Department

It is requested that Council approve payment to Yancey Brothers (Fortson, GA), in the amount of \$65,465.16, for the repair of a 2018 Caterpillar D6T Bulldozer, Vehicle #11299.

The D6T bulldozer originally had track adjustment issues. During the troubleshooting procedures other issues were found. Due to the extent of the repairs required and the special tools required to perform the repairs safely and efficiently, the decision was made to send the equipment to the closest authorized Caterpillar repair facility, which is Yancey Brothers. The replacement cost for this piece of equipment is \$293,756.71.

The bulldozer is utilized at the Pine Grove landfill to cover trash which is a requirement enforced by EPD. The dozer is also used for grading, slope stabilization, down drain installation, tipping floor maintenance, and the construction of roads for waste placement. The equipment is essential to the daily functions of Pine Grove Landfill and must be repaired and maintained properly.

Yancey Brothers, the local authorized Caterpillar distributor and repair service dealer, performed the repairs. Therefore, the vendor is deemed the only known source per the Procurement Ordinance, Article 3-114.

Funds are available in the FY23 Budget: Integrated Waste Management Fund – Public Works – Pine Grove Landfill – Auto Parts and Supplies; 0207 – 260 – 3560 – PGRO – 6721.

A RESOLUTION

NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO YANCEY BROTHERS (FORTSON, GA), IN THE AMOUNT OF \$65,465.16, FOR THE REPAIR OF A 2018 CATERPILLAR D6T BULLDOZER, VEHICLE #11299.

WHEREAS, the D6T bulldozer originally had track adjustment issues. During the troubleshooting procedures other issues were found. Due to the extent of the repairs required and the special tools required to perform the repairs safely and efficiently, the decision was made to send the equipment to the closest authorized Caterpillar repair facility, which is Yancey Brothers. The replacement cost for this piece of equipment is \$293,756.71; and,

WHEREAS, the bulldozer is utilized at the Pine Grove landfill to cover trash which is a requirement enforced by EPD. The dozer is also used for grading, slope stabilization, down drain installation, tipping floor maintenance, and the construction of roads for waste placement. The equipment is essential to the daily functions of Pine Grove Landfill and must be repaired and maintained properly; and,

WHEREAS, Yancey Brothers, the local authorized Caterpillar distributor and repair service dealer, performed the repairs. Therefore, the vendor is deemed the only known source per the Procurement Ordinance, Article 3-114.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

That the City Manager is hereby authorized to render payment to Yancey Brothers (Fortson, GA), in the amount of \$65,465.16, for the repair of a 2018 Caterpillar D6T Bulldozer, Vehicle #11299. Funds are available in the FY23 Budget: Integrated Waste Management Fund – Public Works – Pine Grove Landfill – Auto Parts and Supplies; 0207 – 260 – 3560 – PGRO – 6721.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the _____ day of _____, 2023 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of members of said Council.

- Councilor Allen voting _____.
- Councilor Barnes voting _____.
- Councilor Cogle voting _____.
- Councilor Crabb voting _____.
- Councilor Davis voting _____.
- Councilor Garrett voting _____.
- Councilor House voting _____.
- Councilor Huff voting _____.
- Councilor Thomas voting _____.

Councilor Tucker voting _____.

Sandra T. Davis, Clerk of Council

B.H. "Skip" Henderson III, Mayor