

**Columbus Consolidated Government  
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

<b>TO:</b>	Mayor and Councilors
<b>AGENDA SUBJECT:</b>	<b>ONE AMBULANCE WITH ACCESSORIES FOR FIRE &amp; EMS – HGACBUY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT</b>
<b>INITIATED BY:</b>	Finance Department

It is requested that Council approve the purchase of one (1) ambulance with accessories from Frazer, LTD (Houston, TX) in the amount of \$317,619.00. The purchase will be accomplished by Cooperative purchase via HGACBuy Contract #AM10-23.

The ambulance is required to replace an existing frontline ambulance.

This purchase will be accomplished by Cooperative Purchase via Request for Proposal (RFP) #AM10-23, initiated by HGACBuy, whereby Frazer LTD. was one of the successful vendors contracted to provide Ambulances, EMS & Other Special Service Vehicles. The effective date of the contract began October 1, 2023 and will expire on September 30, 2027. HGACBuy is a nationwide government procurement service striving to make the governmental procurement process more efficient. Units of local government, including non-profits providing governmental services, are eligible to become participating members of the HGACBuy Cooperative. All contracts available to participating members of HGACBuy have been awarded by virtue of a public competitive procurement process compliant with State and Federal statutes. The RFP process utilized by HGACBuy meets the requirements of the City's Procurement Ordinance; additionally, the City's Procurement Ordinance, Article 9-101, authorizes the use of cooperative purchasing.

Funds are available in the FY25 Budget: American Rescue Plan Fiscal Recovery Fund – Federal ARP – Federal Public Health & Safety PS – Heavy Trucks - Ambulances (ARP); 0218 – 691 – 1100 – ARPS – 7723 – 40310 -20230.

**A RESOLUTION**

NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) AMBULANCE WITH ACCESSORIES FROM FRAZER, LTD (HOUSTON, TX) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$317,619.00. THE PURCHASE WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY COOPERATIVE PURCHASE VIA HGACBUY CONTRACT #AM10-23.**

**WHEREAS**, the ambulance is required to replace an existing frontline ambulance; and,

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

That the City Manager and/or his designee is hereby authorized to purchase one (1) ambulance with accessories from Frazer, LTD (Houston, TX) in the amount of \$317,619.00. The purchase will be accomplished by Cooperative purchase via HGACBuy Contract #AM10-23. Funds are available in the FY25 Budget: American Rescue Plan Fiscal Recovery Fund – Federal ARP – Federal Public Health & Safety PS – Heavy Trucks - Ambulances (ARP); 0218 – 691 – 1100 – ARPS – 7723 – 40310 -20230.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of \_\_\_\_\_ members of said Council.

- Councilor Allen                    voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Chambers            voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Cogle                    voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Crabb                    voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Davis                    voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Garrett                voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Hickey                 voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Huff                    voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Thomas                voting \_\_\_\_\_
- Councilor Tucker                voting \_\_\_\_\_