

**Columbus Consolidated Government
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

TO:	Mayor and Councilors
AGENDA SUBJECT:	One (1) 2024 Ford Explorer XL for Information Technology – Georgia Statewide Contract Cooperative Purchase
INITIATED BY:	Finance Department

It is requested that Council approve the purchase of one (1) 2024 Ford Explorer XL for the Information Technology from Allan Vigil Ford. (Morrow, GA) in the amount of \$46,510.00. The purchase will be accomplished by cooperative purchase via Georgia State Contract #99999-001-SPD-ES40199373-002.

The vehicle will be used by IT Personnel for travel to perform onsite repairs. This is a replacement vehicle.

Georgia Statewide Contract #99999-001-SPD-ES40199373-002 is a cooperative contract whereby Allan Vigil Ford is one of the awarded vendors contracted to provide Administrative Vehicles, Regular and Alternatively Fueled. The term of the contract is good through November 30, 2024. The contract is available for use by any Georgia governmental entity. The City’s Procurement Ordinance, Article 9-101, authorizes the use of cooperative purchasing.

Funds are budgeted in the FY25 Budget: General Fund – Information Technology – Information Technology – Automobiles; 0101-210-1000-ISS-7721.

A RESOLUTION

NO. _____

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) 2024 FORD F-150 EXPLORER XL FOR THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT FROM ALLAN VIGIL FORD (MORROW, GA) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$46,510.00. THE PURCHASE WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED BY COOPERATIVE PURCHASE VIA GEORGIA STATEWIDE CONTRACT #99999-001-SPD-ES40199373-002.

WHEREAS, the vehicles will be used by Information Technology for travel to perform onsite repairs. This is a replacement vehicle; and,

WHEREAS, Georgia Statewide Contract #99999-001-SPD-ES40199373-002 is a cooperative contract whereby Allan Vigil Ford is one of the awarded vendors contracted to provide Administrative Vehicles, Regular and Alternatively Fueled. The term of the contract is good through November 30, 2024. The contract is available for use by any Georgia governmental entity. The City’s Procurement Ordinance, Article 9-101, authorizes the use of cooperative purchasing.

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) 2024 Ford Explorer X for the Information Technology Department from Allan Vigil Ford (Morrow, GA) in the amount of \$46,510.00. The purchase will be accomplished by cooperative purchase via Georgia State Contract #99999-001-SPD-ES40199373-002. Funds are budgeted in the FY25 Budget: General Fund – Information Technology – Information Technology – Automobiles; 0101-210-1000-ISS-7721.

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 _____

Sandra T. Davis, Clerk of Council

B.H. “Skip” Henderson III, Mayor