



## City of Colusa California

### STAFF REPORT

**DATE:** April 4, 2023  
**TO:** Mayor Ponciano and Members of the City Council  
**FROM:** Joshua Fitch, Chief of Police, via Jesse Cain, City Manager, and Ryan Jones, City Attorney

#### **AGENDA ITEM:**

A Resolution of the Colusa City Council to authorize the Police Chief to waive the (RFP) request for proposal process to purchase police vehicle(s) from Hoblit motors utilizing the State Contract.

**Recommendation:** Authorize the Police Chief to purchase police vehicle(s) from Hoblit Motors

#### **BACKGROUND ANALYSIS:**

The Police Department historically tries to keep five or six marked patrol units available for patrol use. We currently have four, with one being a year model 2015, nearing 100,000 miles. With recent uncertainty as to the lead time for new vehicles it would be prudent to order one, or possibly two vehicles. If recent vehicle purchases can be any indicator, it is very likely that it will take six to 12 months to acquire new vehicles and have them upfitted for patrol.

#### **BUDGET IMPACT:**

None, the purchase(s) will come from the SLESF grant unless the Council chooses to use ARPA funds. (not to exceed \$50,000 per vehicle)

#### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt Resolution 23- AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF COLUSA POLICE CHIEF TO WAIVE THE (RFP) REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL PROCESS TO PURCHASE POLICE VEHICLE FROM HOBLIT MOTORS

#### **ATTACHMENT:**

Resolution 23-