



City of Cartersville

P O L I C E D E P A R T M E N T

Memorandum

To : Dan Porta, City Manager
From : Chief Frank L. McCann
Date : January 11, 2023
Ref : Purchase of a Lenco Bearcat

As you are aware in February of 2022, I applied for a Homeland Security grant to purchase a Lenco BearCat armored vehicle and in November 2022 the grant was denied. I budgeted that vehicle for this fiscal year to be paid for by the grant or the general fund. Since the grant was denied, I am requesting to purchase the vehicle through the general fund. The cost of the vehicle is \$294,159.00 and I am requesting an amount of, not to exceed, \$320,000.00 for the other equipment needed. Your support and consideration are requested in reference to the purchase of this specialized vehicle.