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MEMORANDUM

Date: October 2, 2024

To: Deadwood City Commission

From: Justin Lux, Parking & Transportation Director

Re: Recommendation Purchase 2021 Ford F-150 XLT from Goodrich

Motors, Inc

The Parking & Transportation department has utilized a 2013 Dodge Ram pickup for removing deceased animals, moving kiosks, and other miscellaneous duties the department requires. This pickup is no longer able to function due to mechanical and electric issues. Funds were initially included in the 2025 budget to replace this pickup but have since been removed in a city-wide effort to reduce that budget. There are funds available in the Parking & Transportation 2024 budget for this purchase.

I have been searching for the past few weeks for a suitable replacement. I test drove two vehicles. One was a 2022 Ford F-150 with 37,000 miles at a regional dealership. They were asking \$42,573 for this vehicle. I also found a 2021 Ford F-150 with 39,000 miles for \$37,990 at Goodrich Motors. There were also no docking fees. I test drove the pickup and found no issues. I looked up the price range for the 2021 F-150 XLT's and it was \$38,216-\$43,763.

I recommend the purchase of the 2021 Ford F-150 from Goodrich Motors, Inc.

Thank you for your consideration to this matter.