



CITY OF GRAND PRAIRIE COMMUNICATION

MEETING DATE: 05/21/2024

PRESENTER: Ryan Simpson, Assistant Director of Police

TITLE: Purchase of emergency vehicle equipment and installation labor services for 12 Police Department vehicles, from Siddons-Martin Emergency Group in the total amount of \$392,230.80, through a national cooperative agreement with Buyboard

REVIEWING COMMITTEE: (Reviewed by the Public Safety, Health, and Environment Committee on 05/13/2024)

SUMMARY:

<u>Vendor Name</u>	<u>Annual Cost</u>	<u>Total Cost</u>
Siddons-Martin Emergency Group	\$392,230.80	\$392,230.80

PURPOSE OF REQUEST:

The Police Department continues to experience challenges with supply chain issues and manufacturer delays, as well as new vehicles and emergency equipment. As new vehicles arrive from the dealerships, the Department is seeking ways to expedite the installation of the emergency equipment and placement of the vehicles in service. Historically, the Police Department has used one primary vendor for the purchase and installation of emergency equipment. The Police Department is seeking to expand the use of multiple vendors for this task. The Department is proposing to begin using Siddons-Martin Emergency Group as one of its vendors for these services. Staff believes that transitioning to using multiple vendors will help the Department overcome delays, place vehicles in service faster, thus allowing us to retire end-of-life vehicles and provide better service to the community.

PROCUREMENT DETAILS:

Procurement Method: ☒ Cooperative (Buyboard, contract 651-21)

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATION:

Budgeted?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fund Name:	General Fund
Budgeted?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fund Name:	Equipment Acquisition Fund
Budgeted?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fund Name:	Community Policing Fund