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REQUEST FOR CITY COUNCIL CONSIDERATION

AGENDA DATE: December 20, 2021

AGENDA ITEM: Consider authorizing the Police Department to sell five (5) city owned / forfeited vehicles at the Minnesota DNR online auction.

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BACKGROUND:

The Police Department has used the Minnesota DNR online action in the past to dispose of city owned, forfeited and abandoned vehicles. The auction is continuously running and government agencies are observed to frequently add assets in attempts to sell such. The following vehicles are GRPD assets that were recently replaced by new squads as planned by the department's squad replacement schedule.

1. 2006 Ford Crown Victoria Sedan VIN 2FAFP71WX6X140428
2. 2009 Dodge Charger VIN 2B3KA43V59H616808

The following two (2) vehicles were utilized as unmarked investigator squads. Each were obtained by qualifying arrest / seizure laws. Each were awarded to Grand Rapids Police Department following appropriate civil court forfeiture hearings. Each were used for multiple years prior to being replaced by new unmarked squads as planned by the department's squad replacement schedule.

3. 2005 Jeep Grand Cherokee Sport Utility VIN 1J4HR48N95C612343
(Originally Forfeited)
4. 2007 Chevy Impala Sedan VIN 2G1WT58N479322177
(Originally Forfeited)

The following vehicle (1) obtained by qualifying arrest / seizure laws. It was awarded to Grand Rapids Police Department following appropriate civil court forfeiture hearings. This vehicle was never utilized by Grand Rapids Police Department and remains at TJ Towing.

5. 2005 Ford 500 Sedan VIN1FAHP28145G133761
(Forfeited)

ATTACHMENTS:

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion authorizing the Police Department to sell five (5) city owned / forfeited vehicles at the Minnesota DNR online auction.