



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: April 24, 2023

AGENDA ITEM: Consider approving golf course CIP purchase of verticut reels

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BACKGROUND: SEE ATTACHED.

The golf course is requesting the council to approve the purchase of a set of verticut reels and associated assembly kit as an alternative to purchasing the Toro Verticut unit at twice the price.

In year 2022 the golf course had a council approved CIP equipment item titled Toro Verticutter with a price tag of \$16,000. This tractor mounted verticutter did not perform the way we were hoping when we demoed it last fall. The John Deere Tractor that the Golf Course has did not have quite enough PTO horse power to be able to turn the blades fast enough. This option of buying a set of verticut reels for a Toro mower that the golf course owns makes sense and should do the job we want it to do. Attached is the quote for the verticut reels from R & R Equipment for \$6,472.98 including tax and delivery. We will also need to purchase a lift arm assembly kit for \$1,500 plus tax and shipping to be able to use these reels with a mower we currently own.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion to approve the purchase and payment of the R & R verticut reel set for \$6,472.98 inclusive of tax and delivery. And include in the motion the purchase of the lift arm assembly kit for the price of \$1,500 plus tax and shipping. This is a 2022 CIP item that was budgeted for \$16,000. The total price we will be paying is approximately \$8,200. Funds are from the golf course CIP Fund.