



REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

AGENDA DATE: 07/11/2022

AGENDA ITEM: Consider donating old engine 116 to the Itasca County Fairgrounds

Board and dispose of old engine 115 at scrap yard.

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BACKGROUND:

The Grand Rapids Fire Department has two old engines that are broken and have been out of service for almost two years. Engine 116 has major structural damage to the frame rails and not safe to drive. The Itasca County Fairgrounds would like to utilize the truck for pumping purposes at the fairgrounds to spray down the dirt to keep dust down. We would also enter into a release and hold harmless agreement. This engine does not have any resale value in its current state.

Old engine 115 is 34 years old and has a broken transmission. This truck also has no resale value. We tried to sell 115 at an online auction and did not receive any bids. This truck is worth more in scrap steel.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION:

Make a motion to donating old engine 116 to the Itasca County Fairgrounds Board and disposing of old engine 115 at scrap yard for steel prices.