



STAFF REPORT

CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS, FLORIDA

TO: City Council Regular Session **MEETING DATE:** May 16, 2023
FROM: Scott Schultz, Asst. Water Utilities Director
SUBJECT: City Council ratification of the purchase of overhead transformers for inventory and storm preparation from Gresco in the amount of \$57,730.00 and Sunbelt - Solomon in the amount of \$92,060.00 for a total amount of \$149,790.00.

BACKGROUND

Electric Department and Warehouse staff have been working with vendors on pole mount transformer specifications, lead times, mounting brackets, pricing and other variables. This time-consuming activity brought us to the point that we need to get them on order as soon as practicable as costs and lead times continue to increase. The Sunbelt-Solomon transformers are remanufactured and were more readily available. The new transformers from Gresco are needed to fulfill inventory requirements.

FISCAL IMPACT

\$149,760.00 to the warehouse electric inventory budget

RECOMMENDATION

Ratify the purchase of overhead transformers for inventory and storm preparation from Gresco in the amount of \$57,730.00 and Sunbelt - Solomon in the amount of \$92,060.00