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COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM FORM

MEETING DATE: March 20, 2023

AGENDA ITEM #: 7

SUBMITTED BY: Jim Devlin, Police Chief

ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Discussion and possible action regarding the purchase of Hewitt Police vehicles.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION/ITEM SUMMARY:

Over the last three years, the Hewitt Police Department has been concerned with the marked patrol vehicle fleet, with the inability to find fleet vehicles and equipment. In the Fiscal Year 21/22 budget, the Hewitt City Council authorized the Hewitt Police Department to purchase three replacement marked patrol vehicles. These vehicles were ordered and took eighteen months to be delivered. In the Fiscal Year 22/23 budget, the Hewitt City Council again authorized the purchase of three replacement marked patrol vehicles. These vehicles have been ordered and the expected delivery date is believed to be twelve to eighteen months away.

The Chief of Police has located a local vehicle vendor that is in current possession of police units and equipment that are available for upfitting, meeting the needs of the Hewitt Patrol Division. The vehicles that have been located are three 2022 Chevrolet Tahoe PPVs and associated equipment. These vehicles would have a short turnaround time, with an expected delivery to be in the early summer of 2023.

FISCAL IMPACT:

\$179,742.00 – graphics not included in the quote.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

I move to authorize the purchase of three Chevrolet Tahoe PPVs in the amount of \$179, 742.00

ATTACHMENTS:

CAP Fleet vehicle quote