VILLAGE OF HOMEWOOD



DATE OF MEETING: November 26, 2024

BOARD AGENDA MEMORANDUM

To: Village President and Board of Trustees

Through: Napoleon Haney, Village Manager

From: Joshua Burman, Director of Public Works

Topic: Purchase Approval for a Ford Police Interceptor

PURPOSE

Staff is requesting the Board approve the purchase of one (1) Ford Utility Police Interceptor through the Suburban Purchasing Cooperative from Currie Motors Fleet of Frankfort, IL. This purchase would be made utilizing American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds in the total amount of \$69,914, including equipment and upfitting.

PROCESS

Periodically, the Village of Homewood must consider purchasing additional vehicles for the fleet when there are expanded operational needs. The Police Department has worked diligently to market, recruit and hire staff to fill a number of vacant positions. The additional police fleet vehicle will enhance the department's ability to provide public safety services to residents and stakeholders. The purchase of an additional patrol car will satisfy and address the department's needs.

Staff researched various vehicle purchase options and found that a vehicle was available through the Suburban Purchasing Cooperative from Currie Motors Fleet of Frankfort, IL. This would be an additional Utility Police Interceptor, not a replacement, and the vehicle must be outfitted for new lighting equipment and accessories after it is purchased.

The total cost for the fully outfitted Police Interceptor is \$69,914. American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds would be allocated for this purchase.

- \$45,414 Purchase Price
- \$19,900 Equipment
- \$4,600 Upfitting

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OUTCOME

The purchase of this Ford Utility Police Interceptor will allow the Homewood Police Department to add a vital asset to their fleet of vehicles.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

- Funding Source: American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds
- Cost: \$69,914
- Budgeted Amendment Requested: \$70,000

LEGAL REVIEW

Not Required

RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION

Approve a budget amendment in the amount of \$70,000 from American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds; waive competitive bidding due to acquisition of the vehicle from a vendor through a cooperative purchasing program; and, approve the purchase, equipment installation and outfitting of one (1) Ford Utility Interceptor from Currie Motors Fleet of Frankfort, IL through the Suburban Purchasing Cooperative in the amount of \$69,914.

ATTACHMENT(S)

Contract