

# VILLAGE OF HOMEWOOD



## BOARD AGENDA MEMORANDUM

DATE OF MEETING: October 12, 2021

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**To:** Jim Marino, Village Manager

**From:** John D. Schaefer, Director of Public Works

**Topic:** Emergency Purchase – Police Interceptor

### PURPOSE

Police Department Squad #10 has been totaled by IRMA due to the extensive front-end damage from an accident on September 29, 2021. A budget amendment and purchase approval is necessary to procure a replacement vehicle.

### PROCESS

After being informed that Squad #10 was totaled, staff immediately began the process of finding a replacement vehicle. There is currently no State Purchase option available and we were informed that Ford may be suspending production in the near future due to parts shortages. After an extensive search, staff found a 2021 Ford Police Interceptor Utility from D’Orazio Ford for \$42,436.60. In speaking with the dealership, they agreed to hold the vehicle for us until proper approvals are given.

### OUTCOME

A budget amendment in the amount of \$42,437.00 is needed to cover the vehicle purchase, equipment, installation, and decals. There will be a reimbursement through IRMA for the loss.

### FINANCIAL IMPACT

- **Funding Source:** General Fund
- **Budgeted Amount:** \$0
- **Cost:** \$42,436.60

### LEGAL REVIEW

Not Required

### RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION

Approve a budget amendment in the amount of \$42,437.00 for a replacement vehicle and equipment for Squad #10; waive competitive bidding for an emergency purchase; and authorize the purchase of one 2021 Ford Police Interceptor Utility from D’Orazio Ford in the amount of \$42,436.60.

### ATTACHMENT(S)

Specifications from D’Orazio Ford