

VILLAGE OF HOMEWOOD



BOARD AGENDA MEMORANDUM

DATE OF MEETING: December 14, 2021

To: Jim Marino, Village Manager

From: John D. Schaefer, Director of Public Works

Topic: Emergency Purchase – Police Interceptor

PURPOSE

Police Department Squad #12 has been totaled by IRMA, due to the extensive side frame damage from a recent accident in November. A budget amendment will be necessary to procure a replacement vehicle.

PROCESS

After being informed that Squad #12 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 might be suspending production in the near future due to parts shortages. After an extensive search, Staff found a 2021 Ford Police Interceptor Utility at D’Orazio Ford in the amount of \$35,153.60. 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 \$45,153.60 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:** \$45,153.60

LEGAL REVIEW

Not Required

RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION

Approve a budget amendment in the amount of \$45,153.60 for the replacement vehicle and equipment for Squad #12; 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 \$35,153.60.

ATTACHMENT(S)

Specifications from D’Orazio Ford