

MEMO



To: Mayor and Board of Aldermen
From: Jason Lipe, Parks and Recreation Director
Date: Thursday, April 16, 2026
Re: Park Department Dump Truck

The Parks Department relies heavily on the use of a dump truck to haul dirt, rock, mulch, and limbs. The current vehicle assigned to the Parks Department is a 1995 GMC 3500 1-ton dump truck. Over the past few years, truck #96 has faced a number of issues that have led to numerous periods of down time when the dump truck was unavailable due to repairs. Issues have included oil leakage, inoperable driver's door, excessive exhaust and hydraulic leaks.

The Parks Department would like to request funds for the purchase of a new dump truck in the amount of \$84,895.00, from Broadway Ford Truck Sales, Inc. This purchase would be made under the state contract.