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| | Freightliner FL80 Fire Engine (Engine 581) From \$30,000 to \$25,000 |
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| SUBJECT: | Consider Approval of Reducing the Reserve on the 1998 |
| AGENDA SECTION: | Considerations |
| ITEM TYPE: | Consideration |
| SUBMITTED BY: | Jason Smith, Fire Chief |
| DATE: | March 17, 2025 |
| MEETING TYPE: | Board of Alderman |

DETAILS:

The Fire Department requests for the reserve price on the 1998 Freightliner FL80 Fire Engine (Engine 581) be reduced from \$30,000 to \$25,000. This engine has been through eight 14-day auction cycles, and hasn't met the reserve. The highest bidder was approximately \$20,000 dollars. Staff believe reducing the reserve to \$25,000 will increase the odds that a department or individual will purchase the engine. I make the recommendation to reduce the reserve price to \$25,000.