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# AGENDA ITEM

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TO: Tim Vandall, City Administrator

FROM: Mike Spickelmier, Director of Public Works *MWS 9/29/2021*

DATE: October 6, 2022

SUBJECT: Salt Prices for 2023

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Policy Consideration: Cooperative purchase for salt is authorized under the City purchasing policy. Leavenworth County has again solicited pricing for bulk purchase of rock salt. The quantity includes material for LVCO, City of Leavenworth, City of Basehor, City of Tonganoxie, and the City of Lansing.

Financial Consideration: \$65,000 in budget was requested in the 2023 Fund 22 for Ice Control. 600 tons is our quantity forecast which results in \$34,566 in project expenditure. The remainder of the line item is used to purchase de-icing chemical (a MgCl and CaCl mixture) that is used in conjunction with rock salt application.

Salt prices for 2021: \$60.13 per ton

Salt prices for 2022: \$54.26 per ton

The salt dome is currently full and ready for winter.

Action:

1. Accept the bid of \$57.61 per ton from Independent Salt Company in cooperation with Leavenworth County.

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