## **AGENDA ITEM**

TO: Tim Vandall, City Administrator

FROM: Jason Crum, Parks and Recreation Director

DATE: January 15, 2025

SUBJECT: Request to purchase one ton dump truck

The Parks and Recreation Department solicited bids for a one-ton gas dump truck with a snow plow from the local Dodge, Ford and Chevrolet Dealer. Requests for bids were delivered to the dealerships. This truck will replace the 2014 Ford F350 dump truck that the department currently operates with approximately 27,000 miles on it. This truck has been in the shop repeatedly with diesel emissions issues related to the exhaust system and that is why we are looking to replace it with a gas engine. Outside of the cost of repairs, we have been without the truck for a month or longer while waiting for parts and technicians. If approved, once we receive the new truck we will auction the existing truck on Purple Wave. Based on similar trucks that have sold, we hope to get a good return on the used vehicle. Others like it have realized as much as \$30,000. The following bid was received for the one ton dump truck with a snowplow:

## **Mainstreet of Lansing**

\$87,017.00

## Financial Consideration:

This item is a City Council approved equipment replacement item for 2025. City Council approved \$90,000.00 for the purchase of this item in the 2025 equipment replacement process.

Policy Consideration: N/A

Action: Staff recommends a motion to approve the purchase of a Dodge one ton dump truck with a snow plow from Mainstreet of Lansing for \$87,017.00 from account number 80-010-43301 Equipment Reserve.