



CITY OF NOVI CITY COUNCIL
DECEMBER 2, 2024

SUBJECT: Consideration of approval to purchase two 2025 Police Chevrolet Tahoe from Berger Chevrolet through the MiDeal Cooperative purchasing contract, in the total amount of \$105,648.00

SUBMITTING DEPARTMENT: Public Safety- Police Department
Department of Public Works- Fleet Division

KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- 2025 Ford Explorer Hybrids were already approved for purchase by council on the October 28th Council meeting.
- Pricing for the 2025 Tahoe's was just made available to purchase them separately from the rest of the approved vehicles.
- Police vehicles are purchased and received before the current vehicle needs to come out of service due to the 100,000 Mile Police union contract to reduce the downtime for a vehicle being out of service.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

	FY 2024/25
EXPENDITURE REQUIRED	\$ 105,648.00 Forfeiture Fund
BUDGET FORFEITURE FUND Police Patrol 262-302.00-983.000	\$ 400,000.00
APPROPRIATION REQUIRED	\$ 0
FUND BALANCE IMPACT	\$ 0

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Following the council meeting on October 28th, the acquisition of three 2025 Ford Police Explorer Hybrids has been approved. Furthermore, two 2025 Chevrolet Tahoes were budgeted for the Fiscal Year 2024-2025, but pricing details have only recently been made available for their purchase for the Uniformed Officers Section of the Police Department. These vehicles will be utilized for patrol by the Sergeants and Traffic Officers. The new Chevrolet Tahoes will replace the current #863 Tahoe for Sergeants and #860 Tahoe for Traffic, both nearing 65,000 miles and expected to be decommissioned in the next two years. The anticipated delivery timeframe for the Tahoes is six months from the order date.

Both Tahoe vehicles are expected to reach or exceed 100,000 miles within the next year. According to the existing union contract, public safety vehicles must be taken out of emergency service once they hit 100,000 miles. To minimize the downtime associated with a vehicle being out of service, police vehicles are procured and delivered prior to the current vehicle being retired due to the 100,000-mile stipulation in the police union contract.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approval to purchase two 2025 Police Chevrolet Tahoe from Berger Chevrolet through the MiDeal Cooperative purchasing contract, in the total amount of \$105,648.00