



FIRE DEPARTMENT

To: Mayor and Town Council

From: Stuart Blasingame, Fire Chief

Through: Mario Canizares, Town Manager

Re: NAFECO Bunker Gear Purchase

Town Council Meeting – March 26, 2024

Strategic Visioning Priority: 4. Provide Excellent Municipal Services

Agenda Item:

Consider and act upon approving the purchase of bunker gear, wildland gear, supplies, and equipment from NAFECO INC., utilizing the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative; and authorizing the Town Manager to execute documents for the same.

Description of Agenda Item:

Local governments are authorized by the Interlocal Cooperation Act, V.T.C.A. Government Code, Chapter 791, to enter into joint contracts and agreements for the performance of governmental functions and services, including administrative functions normally associated with the operation of government (such as purchasing necessary materials and equipment).

The Town of Prosper entered into an interlocal participation agreement in June 2005, providing the Town's participation in the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative. Participation in the cooperative purchasing program allows our local government to purchase goods and services from the cooperative's online purchasing system, BuyBoard, while satisfying all competitive bidding requirements.

This purchase will provide a blanket PO for the purchase of Bunker Gear, Wildland Gear, Supplies, and Equipment for firefighters in compliance with NFPA 1851.

Budget Impact:

This cost for Bunker Gear, Wildland Gear, Supplies and Equipment is \$115,000. This expenditure was approved in the FY24 budget and will be funded from Account No. 100-5630-30-01.

Attached Documents:

1. NAFECO Quote

Town Staff Recommendation:

Town staff recommends approving the purchase of bunker gear, wildland gear, supplies, and equipment from NAFECO INC., utilizing the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative; and authorizing the Town Manager to execute documents for the same.

Proposed Motion:

I move to approve the purchase of bunker gear, wildland gear, supplies, and equipment from NAFECO INC., utilizing the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative; and authorizing the Town Manager to execute documents for the same.