## ROCHELLE CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM MEMO REGULAR MEETING

SUBJECT: Approval for the purchase of a Kubota S-Series Skid Loader through Sourcewell

Staff Contact: Blake Toliver Superintendent of Electric Operations

**Summary:** Sourcewell performed the competitive bidding process for this piece of equipment, resulting in a final sales price of \$71,936.70 for a Kubota S-Series Skid Loader from Johnson Tractor. Our current machine is 2008 Case 420. This machine has recently proved to be to small for some of the tasks we perform including lifting transformers and foundations in back yards. Our current unit will still be utilized for smaller projects and as a backup machine as there is quite frequently the need to have 2 machines in the field. The new unit will also be on tracks which will assist with leveling of areas during restoration work.

## **Funding Sources:**

Source:	Budgeted Amount:	Proposed Expenditure:
Equipment Budget	\$210,000	\$71,936.70

**Strategic Plan Goal Application:** 

Infrastructure Effectiveness & Improvement

**<u>Recommendation</u>**: Approve the purchase of a Kubota S-Series Skid Loader through Sourcewell in the amount of \$71,936.90.