



Wylie City Council

AGENDA REPORT

Department: Public Works Account Code: 100-5411-54250
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Subject

Consider, and act upon, the approval of the purchase of school zone flasher assemblies from Paradigm Traffic Systems, in the estimated amount of \$117,000.00 through a cooperative purchasing contract with BuyBoard, and authorizing the City Manager to execute any and all necessary documents.

Recommendation

Motion to approve the Item as presented.

Discussion

The City of Wylie Public Works Street Department is requesting approval from the City Council to purchase school zone flashing light assemblies, with an estimated cost of \$117,000.00.

This request is to replace 15 outdated and unreliable school zone flashing light assemblies. Additionally, the vendor has begun outsourcing the maintenance of computer programming to a third-party service, making it difficult to resolve issues in a timely manner. This is part of a phased approach to replace all 90-school zone flashing light assemblies, with the option to purchase additional units using funds from the signs and signals account through budget management.

The funds appropriated for the school zone blinking lights were approved in the FY2024-2025 City budget. Staff recommends the purchase of the school zone flashing assemblies for the Signs and Signals Division through a cooperative purchasing agreement with Buyboard Contract #695-23 as providing the best value to the City.

The City is authorized to purchase from a cooperative purchasing program with another local government or a local cooperative organization pursuant to Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code and Section 271 Subchapter F of the Local Government Code and, by doing so, satisfies any State Law requiring local governments to seek competitive bids for items.

Wylie Agreement #W2025-76/Buyboard Contract #695-23