

CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION

Resolution authorizing the purchase and installation of one vehicle and heavy equipment lift system from Steril-Koni USA, Inc., for the City's fleet maintenance and repair facility, in an amount not to exceed \$180,770, plus all applicable taxes.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This Resolution authorizes the purchase and installation of one vehicle and heavy equipment lift system from Steril-Koni USA, Inc., (Steril-Koni USA) for the City's fleet maintenance and repair facility. This action is one of two actions on tonight's consent calendar related to the replacement of the vehicle lift systems. The other action on tonight's consent calendar (under separate cover) is for the execution of an agreement for construction activities in preparation for the installation of the vehicle lift systems.

RECOMMENDATION

Move to adopt Resolution No. 10210

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS

The Finance & Asset Management Department maintains and repairs all City-owned vehicles and equipment supporting all City departments in providing essential services to the community. The City's fleet maintenance and repair facility incorporates vehicle and heavy equipment lifts as part of its shop infrastructure. These lifts are used to raise large vehicles and heavy equipment to workable heights, allowing employees to perform service and repairs in a safe, efficient, and cost-effective manner. They are utilized for all types of vehicles and equipment in the City's fleet such as large fire apparatus, dump trucks, and hydro-excavators.

This purchase is for the replacement of one existing lift that has reached the end of its useful life. The manufacturer's recommended useful life is 20 to 25 years and lifts that exceed that are prone to mechanical failures and pose a safety risk to employees using them to work on equipment.

This purchase utilizes a cooperative purchasing agreement with Sourcewell, a large consortium of public agencies and nonprofit organizations. Sourcewell products and services are contracted through either a competitive bid or competitive proposal (RFP) process. As a participating member of Sourcewell, the City will secure very competitive pricing for the purchase of lift systems from Steril-Koni USA.

POLICY & FISCAL IMPACTS

Policy Impact

Bellevue City Code

BCC 4.28 provides for the fair and equitable treatment of all persons involved in the purchasing process. Council approval is required to award the bid where the cost exceeds \$90,000.

BCC 4.28.150 authorizes the Director of Finance and Asset Management to join in cooperative purchasing arrangements with other public agencies, cooperatives or consortiums when it would be in the best interests of the City.

Fiscal Impact

Approval of this action obligates the City to pay \$180,770, plus all applicable taxes to Stertil-Koni for the purchase and installation of one vehicle and heavy equipment lift system.

These expenditures were anticipated, and sufficient funding exists within the 2021-2027 General Capital Investment Program (CIP) City Fleet In-Ground Lift Replacement project (CIP Plan No. G-115).

OPTIONS

1. Adopt the Resolution authorizing the purchase and installation of one vehicle and heavy equipment lift system from Stertil-Koni USA, Inc., for the City's fleet maintenance and repair facility, in an amount not to exceed \$180,770, plus all applicable taxes.
2. Do not adopt the Resolution and provide alternative direction to staff.

ATTACHMENTS

- A. CIP Project Description G-115
Proposed Resolution No. 10210

AVAILABLE IN COUNCIL LIBRARY

Sourcewell Contract
ECO-60 Quote