

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

From: The City Manager

Subject: Purchase of 2 Police Patrol Vehicles

Manager's Recommendation:

I recommend approval to purchase two (2) fully equipped 2009 Chevy Impala police patrol vehicles from Berger Chevrolet of Grand Rapids, MI, in conjunction with the State Bid process.

The vehicles will be purchased outright at the cost of \$23,155.01 per vehicle. The total cost to purchase the vehicles will be \$46,310.02. This amount includes outfitting, delivery, documentation fees and titles.

This vendor meets all requirements of the Contract Compliance Provisions, Title 1, Chapter 14, § 14.35-14.44, of the Saginaw Code of Ordinances.

Funds for this purchase are budgeted in the Motor Pool Operations / Capital Outlay/Vehicles Account No. 661-4480-841.97-70.

Justification:

On October 6, 2008 City Council approved various insurance proceeds budget adjustments for the Saginaw Police Department. The Saginaw Police Department would like to utilize these available funds to purchase two (2) additional patrol vehicles.

Berger Chevrolet was awarded a State Bid and will contract with Alert Emergency Group, Inc. of Portland, MI, to completely outfit the vehicles with the necessary emergency equipment.

Council Action:

Council _____ moved that the recommendation of the City Manager be approved.