

# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

**From:** The City Manager

**Subject:** Emergency purchase of traffic signal equipment

**Manager's Recommendation:**

I recommend that the quote received from Carrier and Gable, Farmington Hills, MI, be accepted and that a purchase order be approved and issued to them in the amount of \$3,585.00 for the emergency purchase of traffic signal equipment. Carrier and Gable is a sole supplier for this equipment.

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 equipment are available in the Traffic Engineering Parts and Supplies Account No. 202-4621-791-7330.

**Justification:**

On February 15, 2009, a traffic accident occurred in the City of Saginaw, which caused significant damage to the traffic signal equipment at the intersection of S. Michigan and Vermont streets. An emergency purchase order was obtained from the Purchasing Division for the equipment needed to repair this intersection. Police reports were obtained, and claims are being filed with the involved insurance carrier to recover the City of Saginaw's expenses for these repairs.

**Council Action:**

Council \_\_\_\_\_ moved that the recommendation of the City Manager be approved.