

# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

**From:** The City Manager

**Subject:** Emergency Repairs to Tractor 819

**Manager's Recommendation:**

I recommend payment be made to Bader Brothers in the amount of \$2,137.90 for emergency repairs to Tractor 819.

This vendor meets all the 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 available in the Motor Vehicle Repair Parts Account No. 661-4480-841-73-12.

**Justification:**

On May 29, 2009, Purchase Order #38567 was issued for emergency repairs to John Deere Tractor 819. This tractor is used for cutting lots in the weed abatement program and it is imperative to have it serviced as soon as possible. The existing bell housing has cracked. This is an integral part of the tractor's frame. Welding repairs cannot be made, therefore, a new bell housing is required. Bader Brothers is the provider for John Deere parts in our area.

**Council Action:**

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