

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-R-43

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO ISSUE PURCHASE ORDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE FOLLOWING VEHICLES: EIGHT (8) FORD ESCAPES, TWO (2) FORD EXPLORERS, SIX (6) FORD MAVERICKS, TWO (2) RAM 1500 TRADESMAN, ONE (1) CARGO VAN, ONE (1) MID-SIZE SUV, AND FOUR (4) THREE-QUARTER-TON TRUCKS, AT AN APPROXIMATE-AGGREGATE COST OF SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$680,000.00) FROM VARIOUS COMPETITIVELY SELECTED VENDORS, UTILIZING THE COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROVISION PURSUANT TO SEC. 7-169 OF THE CITY CODE, ON A CONTRACT AWARDED THROUGH THE FLORIDA SHERIFFS ASSOCIATION, UNDER CONTRACT NUMBER FSA20-VEL28.0; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Florida Sheriffs Association (“FSA”) offers statewide purchasing contracts for a variety of vehicles, equipment and services that are available to eligible agencies such as the City of North Miami. Contracts awarded through this program are competitively bid and offer favorable pricing and terms for eligible agencies to take advantage of; and

WHEREAS, the Award is designed provide participating agencies and local municipal governments, with a mechanism for increasing their purchasing power by offering the most economically priced cars, trucks, vans and equipment, tailored to the agency’s specific requirements; and

WHEREAS, FSA guarantees participating agencies and local municipal governments, the availability of competitive pricing under the Award by selected vendors (“Vendors”), as long as vehicles and equipment are available in Vendors’ inventories; and

WHEREAS, City desires to purchase certain equipment utilizing the following Contract awarded through FSA: *FSA20-VEL28.0 - Pursuit, Administrative, and Other Vehicles.*; and

WHEREAS, the City administration has identified the need for the following vehicles: Eight (8) Ford Escapes, Two (2) Ford Explorers, Six (6) Ford Mavericks, Two (2) Ram 1500 Tradesman Crew Cabs, One (1) Cargo Van, One (1) Midsize SUV, and Four (4) Three-Quarter Ton Crew Cabs (collectively referred to herein as “Vehicles”); and

WHEREAS, the Vehicles will be purchased at an approximate-aggregate cost of Six Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$680,000.00), from the following competitively selected Vendors: Beck Auto Sales, Duval Fleet Sales, Alan Jay Chevrolet Buick GMC Cadillac, Alan Jay Chrysler Jeep Dodge of Wauchula, Garber Chevrolet Buick GMC; and

WHEREAS, Section 7-169 of the City Code authorizes the City to participate in cooperative purchasing agreements for the procurement of supplies or services with one (1) or more public entities; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has determined that it is in the City's best interest to expeditiously purchase the equipment for immediate public-service use, while utilizing the most cost-effective means currently available to the City.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Authority of City Manager. The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the City Manager to issue Purchase Orders for the purchase of the following equipment: Eight (8) Ford Escapes, Two (2) Ford Explorers, Six (6) Ford Mavericks, Two (2) Ram 1500 Tradesman Crew Cabs, One (1) Cargo Van, One (1) Midsize SUV, and Four (4) Three-Quarter Ton Crew Cabs, at an approximate-aggregate cost of Six Hundred Eighty Thousand Dollars (\$680,000.00) from various competitively selected vendors, utilizing the cooperative purchasing provision pursuant to Sec. 7-169 of the City Code, on a contract awarded through the Florida Sheriffs Association, under Contract number *FSA20-VEL28.0*.

Section 2. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by a 5-0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 12th day of April, 2022.



PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME
MAYOR

ATTEST:


VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:


JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Estimé-Irvin

Seconded by: Galvin

Vote:

Mayor Philippe Bien-Aime
Vice Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.
Councilman Scott Galvin
Councilwoman Kassandra Timothe, MPA
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin

(Yes) _____ (No)
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