OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION JULY 11, 2023 AGENDA

Subject:	Action Required:	Approved By:
Purchase of seven (7) Pierce Pumper Trucks and one (1) Pierce Ladder Tiller Truck for the Little Rock Fire Department.	Ordinance √ Resolution	
Submitted By:		
Fleet Services Department		Bruce T. Moore City Manager
SYNOPSIS FISCAL IMPACT	A resolution to authorize the City Manager to enter into a contract with G & W Diesel Service, Inc., for the purchase of seven (7) Pierce Pumper Trucks and one (1) Pierce Ladder Tiller Truck for the Little Rock Fire Department. The cost of the Pumper Trucks are \$894,521.00 each, totaling \$6,261,647.00, and the cost of the Ladder Tiller Truck is \$2,132,539.00. The total cost of these eight (8) units is \$8,394,186.00, plus applicable taxes and fees. The funds for this purchase are allocated through future Bond funding.	
RECOMMENDATION	Approval of the resolution.	
BACKGROUND	These units will allow for replacement of aged front-line fire unit assignments. Vendor selection was made through utilization of the Houston Galveston Area Council (HGAC) Contract No. FS12-19A. The purchase of these additional units will take twenty-four (24) to thirty-six (36) months to produce and a price increase is expected. Resolution No. 15,975, approved by the Board of Directors on May 2, 2023, authorize the City to advance its own funds to pay costs for Fire Apparatus prior to the issuance of the additional series of Bonds and to reimburse itself from the proceeds of a future issuance.	