

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION
MARCH 17, 2014 AGENDA**

Subject:	Action Required	Approved By
<p>Purchase of three (3) Ford F150 Trucks for Public Works Department Building Services Division</p> <p>Submitted By:</p> <p>Fleet Services Department</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ordinance √ Resolution Approval Information Report</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Bruce T. Moore City Manager</p>
SYNOPSIS	<p>Approval of a resolution authorizing the City Manager to enter into a contract with Landers Ford in the amount of \$62,718.00 to purchase three (3) Ford F150 Trucks for the Public Works Department Building Services Division.</p>	
FISCAL IMPACT	<p>Funds for this purchase are allocated in the 2014 5/8-Cent Sales Tax account.</p>	
RECOMMENDATION	<p>Approval of the resolution.</p>	
CITIZEN PARTICIPATION	<p>N/A</p>	
BACKGROUND	<p>This purchase will replace the original request for two (2) CNG Trucks in 2014 for the Department of Public Works. The CNG units did not meet the needs of the Department in terms of the truck bed space required for storing tools and hauling debris; the units were returned to the dealer. In addition, Fleet Services purchased a third unit to replace a third aged unit using the remainder of the funds from the original purchase. Unit pricing is determined via the Arkansas State Purchasing Contract. These units will replace similar units with excessive age and maintenance expenses.</p>	