


# COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

 CITY OF DES MOINES OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER	Number:	<b>22-402</b>	Meeting:	<b>September 12, 2022</b>
	Agenda Item:	<b>64J</b>	Roll Call:	<b>22-1460</b>
	Submitted by:	<b>John F. TeKippe, Fire Chief</b>		

## AGENDA HEADING:

Approve purchase from Sutphen Corporation for three (3) fire/extrication engine apparatus per Houston Galveston Area Council (HGAC) Contract for use by the Fire Department, \$2,709,321.96.

## SYNOPSIS:

Approval of bid to award Sutphen Corporation (6450 Eiterman Road, Dublin, OH 43016, Thomas Sutphen, President), per HGAC Contract No. FS12-19 including:

- Purchase of three (3) replacement Monarch 4-door full tilt cab, stainless steel body, single-axle pumping fire/extrication apparatus:
  - Cost: \$903,107.32 each
  - Total: \$2,709,321.96
- Purchased through the HGAC Buy Public Safety Project
- Expected delivery after July 1, 2023

## FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$2,709,321.96

Funding Source: Fiscal Year (FY) 2023 Adopted CIP, Page Fire 7, Equipment Acquisition – Fire Department (FY2024), FR013 C041FD – Equipment Acquisition – Fire Department, Being: G.O. Bonds to be issued

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The City of Des Moines is a current member of the HGAC Buy Public Safety Project. HGAC Buy is a government-to-government cooperative purchasing program. Its enabling legislation allows for HGAC Buy to act nationwide on behalf of local governments, special districts and private non-profits providing a government service. HGAC Buy's procurement process includes research, preparation of specifications, pre-bid and pre-proposal conferences, legal notice posting and advertising, bid/proposal review, and contract execution.

- On August 30, 2022, the Fire Department received pricing from Sutphen Corporation through the HGAC Buy procurement process for three (3) Monarch 4-door full tilt aluminum cab, stainless steel body, fire engines that meet the needs of the department.
- This action replaces current fire suppression pumping apparatus at end of service life.
- The replacement cycle of suppression apparatus is 10 years in frontline service and five (5) years in reserve service.
- Reserve service apparatus are routinely used during maintenance or repair of frontline apparatus, during training, special events, etc.

**PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):**

Date: December 21, 2020

Roll Call Number: [20-2126](#)

Action: Purchases from the following:(A) [Sutphen](#) Corporation (Thomas Sutphen, President) for two (2) fire engine apparatus per Houston Galveston Area Council (HGAC) Contract for use by the Fire Department, \$1,389,330. ([Council Communication No. 20-569](#)) Moved by Boesen to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

**BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE**

**ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE**

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