


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

 CITY OF DES MOINES OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER	Number:	22-429	Meeting:	September 12, 2022
	Agenda Item:	64B	Roll Call:	22-1452
	Submitted by:	Nickolas Schaul, Finance Director		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving the purchase of two (2) automated lift pit cover systems for use by the Fleet Services Division.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommend approval to purchase two (2) automated lift pit cover systems and installation for use by Fleet Services on two (2) installed heavy duty lift systems in the Fleet Maintenance area of the Municipal Services Center II (MSCII) facility utilizing Sourcewell purchasing Contract No. 013020-SKI from Steril Koni (Jean DellAmore, President, 200 Log Canoe Circle, Stevensville, MD 21666) in the amount of \$62,033.62.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$62,033.62

Funding Source: Fleet Service Maintenance, I010 FN024020, Contractual Services, Page 76

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The heavy-duty lifts installed in MSCII do not include automated lift pit covers because at the time of design and construction the selected lift provider was not known. The open pit areas present a safety hazard to employees from potential falls and landings.
- Now that Steril Koni is the identified manufacturer of the installed lifts, the open pit areas can be covered with the appropriate automated lift pit cover systems. Modifications to the open pit area can be made as project costs and the automated systems acquired and installed as Fleet operational costs. This will reduce the cost of the covers and installation by not having a contractor's markup applied.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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