


COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

 CITY OF DES MOINES OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER	Number:	22-475	Meeting:	October 24, 2022
	Agenda Item:	56	Roll Call:	22-1685
	Submitted by:	Nickolas Schaul, Finance Director		

AGENDA HEADING:

Approving the rental of equipment for emergency snow and ice control operations for use in the Public Works Department.

SYNOPSIS:

Recommended approval of rental of three (3) motor graders, one (1) rubber-tired end loader with plow, and one (1) bulldozer for use in emergency snow and ice control operations in the Public Works Department utilizing Sourcewell contract #62320-CAT from Ziegler CAT Inc. (1500 Ziegler Drive, Altoona, IA 50009, William Hoeft, President) in the amount of \$186,350.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$186,350

Funding Source: FY 2023 Public Works Operating Budget, S360 PW240402 Street Maintenance, Page 225

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- The identified equipment is essential for effective emergency snow and ice control operations and is used to supplement the existing City fleet of owned equipment during emergency snow and ice control operations. The specific equipment that is rented and returned on a seasonal basis would have limited use during warm weather months and consists of heavy off-road equipment that has high acquisition and maintenance costs; therefore, seasonal rentals of needed equipment is the most cost-effective means to provide additional equipment during emergency snow and ice control operations.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):

Date: October 3, 2022

Roll Call Number: [22-1522](#)

Action: On the Proposition to authorize a lease purchase agreement in the principal amount not to exceed \$186,350 for the purpose of acquiring certain items of equipment consisting of three pieces of equipment, a motor grader, wheel loader snowplow and TTT-Dozer, (10-24-22). Moved by Gatto to adopt. Seconded by Boesen. Motion Carried 7-0.

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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