

Date February 7, 2022

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has requested the Finance Department's Procurement Division issue purchase orders for the purchase and replacement of Fire coats and pants as part of their ongoing replacement schedule for Personal Protective Equipment for Fire Protective Gear; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has conducted field testing and review of various brands of Fire coats and pants and has determined only two (2) manufacturers provide brands which comply with the department's required thermal protection, breath-ability, and cancer reduction efforts through design and particulate blocking methods specific to DMFD needs – Honeywell First Responder's Morning Pride brand and MSA's Globe brand; and

WHEREAS, the previous provider of Fire coats and pants, Honeywell First Responder, is no longer able to provide Fire coats and pants products within the required delivery timeframe of the Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, upon failure to replace or procure Personal Protective Equipment coats and pants, the Fire Department would not be compliant in certification by third party agencies or safety standards; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has identified MSA-Globe brand Fire coats and pants as compliant with the specifications and delivery requirements of the department for fire coats and pants; and

WHEREAS, the Procurement Administrator has determined that MSA Globe Fire coats and pants are available from Sandry Fire Supply 618 6th Street, DeWitt, IA, the only authorized Iowa distributor of MSA Globe Fire coats and pants; and

WHEREAS, Municipal Code section 2-726 (d) provides for a non-competitive procurement of goods and/or services that are of such a nature that they are the only goods and/or services which will fit and comply with the required use, or are an integral part of a total system so as to be uniquely compatible with existing city needs, materials or equipment to be cost-effective; and

WHEREAS, funding in the amount of approximately \$500,000.00 is available from the Fire Department's Operating Budget FD101500 General Fund and from FD104113 General Fund.



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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council hereby:

1. Accepts and approves the purchase of MSA- Globe Fire coats and pants, from Sandry Fire Supply for an annual amount not to exceed \$500,000.00.

2. Approves and authorizes the Procurement Administrator to issue future purchase orders for the replacement of MSA- Globe Fire coats and pants from Sandry Fire Supply for an annual not to exceed amount of \$500,000 each year through fiscal year 2027, provided funding is available in the budget approved by Council for each such year.

(Council Letter No. 22- 031)

Moved by Gatto to adopt
Second by Boesen.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Kathleen Vanderpool

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Deputy City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
COWNIE	✓			
BOESEN	✓			
GATTO	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
SHEUMAKER	✓			
VOSS	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
TOTAL	7			

CERTIFICATE

I, P. KAY CMELIK, City Clerk of said City hereby certify that at a meeting of the City Council of said City of Des Moines, held on the above date, among other proceedings the above was adopted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the day and year first above written.

J. M. Frankin Cownie Mayor

P. Kay Cmelik

City Clerk