

★ Roll Call Number

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Agenda Item Number

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Date August 8, 2022

**APPROVING AN EXCEPTION TO THE PROCUREMENT ORDINANCE COMPETITIVE BIDDING REQUIREMENTS FOR GOOD CAUSE AND APPROVING PROCUREMENT OF LUCAS COMPRESSION DEVICE SYSTEMS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT AND SERVICES FOR AMBULANCE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FROM STRYKER MEDICAL CORP.**

**WHEREAS**, the Fire Department has requested the Finance Department's Procurement Division to issue a purchase order for the purchase of eleven (11) Lucas 3, v3.1 Chest Compression Systems, related accessories, and annual preventive maintenance service for the newly procured equipment, in an amount of \$188,712.11; and

**WHEREAS**, the purchase of such ambulance equipment will assist the Fire Department in replacing inventories of standardized equipment which have met their useful life, maintaining adequate inventories of standardized equipment and related parts, and will allow the Fire Department to equip reserve ambulances that will be deployable in situations where additional ambulances are needed to provide coverage for the City during large scale events; and

**WHEREAS**, the Procurement Administrator has determined that the Lucas 3, v3.1 Chest Compression Systems, related accessories, and equipment annual preventive maintenance service are available from Stryker Medical Corp., 2825 Airview Boulevard, Kalamazoo, MI 49002, the sole source provider of LUCAS Compression System devices and maintenance services; and

**WHEREAS**, in March 2021, the City, through the Fire Department, and Stryker Sales Corporation, through its Medical Division, entered into a ProCare Product Service Plan Agreement ("Agreement") providing for acquisition by the City of the above-described ambulance equipment and maintenance service up to the amount of \$50,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, Des Moines Municipal Code Section 2-710(a) provides that the City Council may on a case by case basis for good cause shown, exempt contracts for the provision of goods and/or services from the competitive procurement requirements of the Procurement Ordinance, and authorize use of an informal competitive bidding procedure or authorize direct procurement without a competitive process for the procurement of goods and/or services to cost in excess of \$50,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, funding in the amount of \$188,712.11, is available from 2022-2026 CIP Page 30, FR013- Equipment Acquisition-Fire Department, Being: G.O. Bonds Issued; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager recommends that the procurement of the above-described equipment in excess of \$50,000.00 be exempted from the competitive bidding requirements for good cause shown, pursuant to Section 2-710(a) of the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines; and

**WHEREAS**, all ambulance equipment and maintenance services procured will be provided in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Agreement between the City and Stryker Sales Corporation, through its Medical Division.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that:

1. Good cause has been shown to exempt the procurement of the above-described ambulance equipment and maintenance services exceeding \$50,000.00 from the Procurement Ordinance competitive bidding requirements.

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2. The City Council approves the purchase of eleven (11) Lucas 3, 3v.1 Chest Compression Systems with related accessories and preventive maintenance service from Stryker Medical for a total amount of \$188,712.11, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Agreement between City and Stryker Sales Corporation, through its Medical Division.

(Council Communication No. 22-365)

MOVED BY Gatto TO ADOPT.

SECOND BY Boesen

Approved as to Form:

/s/ Glenna K. Frank
Glenna K. Frank
Assistant City Attorney

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CERTIFICATE

I, LAURA BAUMGARTNER, 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. Franklin Cownie Mayor

Laura Baumgartner City Clerk