PURCHASING ITEM
FOR
COUNCIL AGENDA

1. Agenda Item Number: 34

2. Council Meeting Date: February 28, 2013

TO: **MAYOR & COUNCIL**

3. Date Prepared: February 11, 2013

THROUGH: **CITY MANAGER**

4. Requesting Department: Fire Department

5. SUBJECT: Purchase of police vehicles.

6. RECOMMENDATION: Recommend approval to use the State of Arizona contract for the purchase of police vehicles from PFVT Peoria Ford in an amount of $416,616.78.

7. HISTORICAL BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION: The Police Department submitted vehicles to be evaluated for funding in FY 12/13. The City's Fleet Advisory Committee reviews mileage, years of service, reliability, repair history and forecasted ability to meet service requirements. The Fleet Advisory Committee reviewed the vehicles submitted by the Police Department and the committee recommends the replacement of ten (10) Ford Inceptor SUV's with up-fitting used for Police Patrol.

8. EVALUATION PROCESS: Historically the City has used the State of Arizona contract to purchase vehicles. At the direction of City Council, staff has issued bids for recent vehicle purchases. Price comparisons of recent bids have generally indicated that if the State contract is recently bid it has better pricing then the Chandler bid. The recommended contract was awarded January of 2013. Therefore staff is recommending use of state contract for this purchase.

9. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

Cost:	$416,616.78
Savings:	N/A
Long Term Costs:	N/A

Funds for the purchase of the requested vehicles are available in the following account:

Acct. No.:	Fund Name:	Program Name:	Amount:
404.2030.6310.0000	Vehicle Replacement Fund	Police Field Operations	$416,616.78

10. PROPOSED MOTION: Move to approve use of the State of Arizona contract for the purchase of police vehicles from PFVT Peoria Ford in an amount of $416,616.78.

APPROVALS

11. Requesting Department James Johnson, Fleet Manager	**12. Department Head** Jeff Clark, Fire Chief
13. Procurement Officer Mike Mandt	**14. City Manager** Rich Dlugas

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