



**CITY COUNCIL  
COMMUNICATION:**

**ITEM \_\_\_\_\_**

**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER  
CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA**

**99-230**

**SYNOPSIS -**

**AGENDA:**

Approval of single vendor bid for two outfront rotary mowers.

MAY 17, 1999

**FISCAL IMPACT -**

**SUBJECT:**

The replacement cost for the two mowers is \$24,250. The money is budgeted in the Equipment Replacement Fund.

LAWN EQUIPMENT,  
BID NO. G99-214

**RECOMMENDATION -**

**TYPE:**

**Approve single vendor bid for two outfront rotary mowers.**

**RESOLUTION**

ORDINANCE  
RECEIVE/FILE

**BACKGROUND -**

The bid by only one vendor was expected but not certain since the equipment size (52") is not standard and is required for mowing between cemetery monuments. The item bid is an excellent piece of equipment, and the bid came in at budget with the trade-in amounts.

**SUBMITTED BY:**

DONALD TRIPP  
PARK AND  
RECREATION  
DIRECTOR