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	<b>Agenda Item No.</b>	<b>32A</b>
	<b>Roll Call No.</b>	<b><u>15-2067</u></b>
	<b>Communication No.</b>	<b><u>15-633</u></b>
	<b>Submitted by:</b>	<b>Carl Metzger, Deputy City Manager</b>

**AGENDA HEADING:**

Approving purchase of 22 vehicles off of the State of Iowa Contract for use by Police and Fire Departments.

**SYNOPSIS:**

Recommend the purchase of 21 Ford Interceptor Utility vehicles for use in the Police Department and one (1) Ford Interceptor Utility vehicle for use in the Fire Department utilizing the State of Iowa Department of Administrative Services vehicle purchase contract from Stivers Ford, 1450 E. Hickman Road, Waukee, Iowa 50263 (Scott Politte, General Manager) in the amount of \$590,253.00.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Amount: \$590,253.00.

Funding Source: Equipment Replacement Fund IS201 CMO24021

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

Recent annual comparisons of state contract purchases compared to competitive bid vehicles have yielded cost savings by utilizing the State of Iowa Department of Administrative Services vehicle purchasing contracts. In addition to cost savings, in many cases competing dealers will not submit bids against established State of Iowa Contract holders. Therefore, staff has implemented the practice of utilizing the state contract when there is a specific fit of vehicles to a particular application. All 22 recommended vehicles are front line pursuit rated, up-fitted for emergency responses and the various necessary configurations are available off of the State of Iowa vehicle purchase contract.

Purchase of these vehicles is recommended utilizing the State of Iowa contract.

**PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S):**

Date: July 13, 2015

Roll Call Number: [15-1161](#)

Action: Bob Brown Chevrolet (Ron Brown, Owner), Charles Gabus Ford (Gene Gabus, President), Stivers Ford (Scott Politte, General Manager) and Stew Hanson Dodge City (Don Boetcher, General Manager) for various replacement vehicles for City-wide use, \$199,027. Thirteen potential bidders, five received. ([Council Communication No. 15-362](#)) Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

Date: April 20, 2015

Roll Call Number: [15-0668](#)

Action: Stew Hanson Dodge City (Dan Boettcher, General Manager), Charles Gabus Ford (Gene Gabus, President), Bob Brown Chevrolet (Ron Brown, Owner) and Stivers Ford (Scott Politte, General Manager) for various replacement vehicles, \$1,282,661.71. Fourteen potential bidders, five received. ([Council Communication No. 15-211](#)) Moved by Hensley to adopt. Motion Carried 7-0.

**BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE**

**ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE**

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