

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

	Number:	20-050	Meeting:	February 10, 2020
	Agenda Item:	34B	Roll Call:	20-0253
	Submitted by:	Dana Wingert, Chief of Police		

AGENDA HEADING:

Request approval to purchase various emergency vehicle equipment from Keltek Inc. (205 N. High Street Baxter, IA, 50028, Owner and President Kelly Milligan) for police vehicles per the State of Iowa Master Agreement (55090-15).

SYNOPSIS:

The Police Department recommends the purchase of standard emergency response equipment including top of the vehicle light bars, sirens, prisoner barrier, prisoner seats, aluminum push bumpers and gunracks to outfit 21 replacement Police Interceptor SUVs. The department reuses existing equipment whenever possible; however, changes in available space in the new vehicles and the extent of use of the existing equipment dictate the amount of new equipment required to make the vehicles functional.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Amount: \$176,156.59

Funding Source: FY 2020 Operating Budget (PD001351), Police Planning and Budget Office, page 207.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- This equipment has been competitively bid and is available from Keltek Inc., per the State of Iowa Master Agreement 55090-15. The Municipal code section 2-726(k) provides for the purchase of goods and/or services from contracts established by the State of Iowa Department of Administrative Services, The Iowa Department of Transportation (IDOT) or the Iowa Communications Network pursuant to procedures established in Iowa Code Chapter 8A and rules and regulations of the Procurement Division.
- The Police Department strives for uniformity among all front-line patrol vehicles. Below is a summary of the equipment needed:
 - Whelen emergency light bar and siren for increase safety of the officers and other drivers by visually and audibly alerting drivers to an approaching emergency response vehicle.

- Havis console contains the operational switches for the emergency lights, siren and mobile data equipment.
- Equipment tray to hold printer and wireless connectivity equipment in a stable location to prevent damage from sliding or shifting.
- Gamber Johnson computer dock and swivel mount to hold the on-board computer.
- Setina aluminum push bumper to protect the officer and the vehicle by reinforcing the front end to withstand contact with other vehicles.
- Pro Gard prisoner barrier to protect the officers from being interfered with while transporting a prisoner in the rear seat of the vehicle.
- Prisoner transport seat replacements made of durable plastic. These seats wear longer while allowing for efficient and effective searches and cleaning.
- Gun rack to secure the officer's weapons during travel and is equipped with a lock and key.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION(S): NONE

BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION(S): NONE

ANTICIPATED ACTIONS AND FUTURE COMMITMENTS: NONE

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