

★ Roll Call Number

Agenda Item Number  
38

Date November 14, 2007

**APPROVING AN EXCEPTION TO THE PROCUREMENT ORDINANCE COMPETITIVE BIDDING REQUIREMENTS FOR GOOD CAUSE AND APPROVING PAYMENT TO UNITED TRUCK & BODY COMPANY FOR EMERGENCY REPAIR SERVICES TO PUMPER TRUCK UNIT # 3044**

**WHEREAS**, on February 10, 2007, Pumper Truck Unit # 3044 was damaged in a personal vehicle accident; and

**WHEREAS**, Pumper Truck Unit # 3044 is a front line emergency response unit and therefore it is critical to repair the unit as soon as possible and return it to duty; and

**WHEREAS**, informal estimates for pumper truck repair were solicited from the metro areas only known repair shops qualified to service this type of vehicle, United Truck & Body and Majestic Truck Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager recommends that the above described procurement 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**, funding is available from FIR010700/Maintenance and Repair;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA:**

1. That good cause has been shown to exempt the procurement of emergency repair services from the Procurement Ordinance competitive bidding requirements.
2. That the City Council hereby accepts and approves the procurement of emergency repair services to Pumper Truck Unit # 3044 from United Truck & Body, 5129 NE 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Des Moines, IA 50313, in the amount of \$30,277.25.

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ to adopt

Approved as to Form:

  
Ann DiDonato, Assistant City Attorney

(Council Communication No. 07-706)

| COUNCIL ACTION | YEAS | NAYS | PASS     | ABSENT |
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| COWNIE         |      |      |          |        |
| COLEMAN        |      |      |          |        |
| HENSLEY        |      |      |          |        |
| KIERNAN        |      |      |          |        |
| MAHAFFEY       |      |      |          |        |
| MEYER          |      |      |          |        |
| VLASSIS        |      |      |          |        |
| TOTAL          |      |      |          |        |
| MOTION CARRIED |      |      | APPROVED |        |
| _____ Mayor    |      |      |          |        |

**CERTIFICATE**

I, DIANE RAUH, 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.

\_\_\_\_\_ City Clerk

CITY OF DES MOINES - DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE - PURCHASING DIVISION

Pumper Truck Unit # 3034  
Emergency Repair

Fire Department

Date Opened:

Opened by: mv

Req. # 15683

United Truck & Body  
5129 NE 17th Street  
Des Moines, IA 50313  
Net 30  
Origin

Majestic Truck Services  
503 1st Ave. North  
Altoona, IA 50009  
Net 30  
Origin

Bidder  
Address  
City  
Terms  
FOB:  
Delivery:

\$30,277.25

\$37,889.99

Pumper Truck Unit # 3034 Emergency Repair