



Date September 8, 2025

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF ONE REPLACEMENT 2023
CATERPILLAR BACKHOE LOADER FOR USE BY THE CEMETERY DIVISION OF
THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT AND APPROVING USE OF
SOURCEWELL CONTRACT NUMBER 020223-CAT**

WHEREAS, the Finance Department seeks to issue a purchase order for a 2023 Caterpillar Backhoe Loader for use by the Cemetery Division of the Parks and Recreation Department; and,

WHEREAS, Des Moines Municipal Code section 2-726 (m) provides for the procurement of goods and/or services from contracts that have been competitively established through cooperative group contracting consortiums for state government departments, institutions, agencies and political subdivisions, without conforming to the competitive bidding requirements of the Procurement Ordinance; and,

WHEREAS, the 2023 Caterpillar Backhoe Loader is available from Ziegler Caterpillar (1500 Ziegler Drive, NW Suite 101, Altoona, IA 50009; Chris Culbertson, Branch Operations Manager) in the amount of \$159,096.00 utilizing Sourcewell contract #020223-CAT.

WHEREAS, the funding source will be Fiscal Year (FY) 2025-2026 Recommended Operating Budget, Page 78, Equipment Replacement Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, that:

1. The purchase of a 2023 Caterpillar Backhoe from Ziegler Caterpillar in the amount of \$159,096.00 utilizing Sourcewell contract #020223-CAT is hereby approved.
2. To the extent determined necessary by the Legal Department and the Finance Department, the Finance Department is hereby authorized and directed to proceed with negotiation of a Short Form Agreement or similar agreement between the City and Ziegler CAT is authorized and directed to execute said Agreement on behalf of the City following approval as to form by the Legal Department.

(Council Communication No. 25 - 326)



Roll Call Number

Agenda Item Number

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Moved by _____ to adopt.

Second by _____.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Thomas G. Fisher Jr.
Deputy City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
BOESEN				
SIMONSON				
VOSS				
COLEMAN				
WESTERGAARD				
MANDELBAUM				
GATTO				
TOTAL				
MOTION CARRIED	APPROVED			

CERTIFICATE

I, LAURA BAUMGARTNER, 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.

Mayor

City Clerk

