



**Roll Call Number**

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**Date** February 9, 2026

**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING PROPOSAL AND AUTHORIZING CONTRACT WITH AIR CLEANING TECHNOLOGIES, INC. FOR SOURCE CAPTURE VEHICLE EXHAUST EXTRACTION SYSTEM IN A TOTAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$587,800**

**WHEREAS**, for the 2023 program year, Congress appropriated funds to the United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for the Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) program to provide direct assistance to fire departments to fund support such as tools and resources necessary to protect the health and safety of firefighting personnel and the public; and

**WHEREAS**, the Des Moines Fire Department prepared a grant application for funding for the placement of diesel exhaust source capture systems at every apparatus bay in Fire Stations 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, to reduce the amount of diesel exhaust in the living and working quarters of these stations; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 4, 2024, by Roll Call 24-0345, the City Council authorized the Fire Chief or his designee to submit the grant application prepared by the Des Moines Fire Department to FEMA and to negotiate and execute a grant agreement on behalf of the City in the event the City received the grant award; and

**WHEREAS**, based on the grant application submitted by the Fire Department, FEMA approved an award of \$507,375.45 in federal funding to the City, with a required contribution by the City of at least 10%, or \$50,737.55, and subject to compliance with the terms of the grant agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 13, 2025, the Finance Department, Procurement Division issued a Request for Proposals #W25-300 for source capture vehicle exhaust extraction system; and

**WHEREAS**, the Evaluation and Selection Committee recommends that Air Cleaning Technologies, Inc., 221 Oak Street, Bonner Springs, KS 66012-1028 ("Contractor"), be awarded a contract for such services as Contractor met all requirements of the RFP; and

**WHEREAS**, the Procurement Division is negotiating a contract for Contractor to supply and install a new source capture vehicle exhaust system in Fire Stations 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, at a cost not to exceed \$578,800.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Procurement Administrator and the Finance Department recommend approval of an Agreement for supply and installation of source capture vehicle exhaust extraction system with Air Cleaning Technologies, Inc., in substantially the form on file in the office of the City Clerk, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in said Agreement and the RFP.

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

1. The Proposal submitted by Air Cleaning Technologies, Inc. to supply and install source capture vehicle exhaust extraction systems in Fire Stations 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 is hereby accepted, and the payment not to exceed \$578,800.00 for the goods and services described above is hereby approved.

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- 2. The City Manager is authorized and directed to execute the Agreement by and Between the City of Des Moines, Iowa and Air Cleaning Technologies, Inc. for supply and installation of new source capture vehicle exhaust extraction systems, following approval as to form of Agreement by the Legal Department.
- 3. The Finance Department is authorized and directed to administer and monitor the Agreement on behalf of the City.

(Council Communication No. 26-048)

Moved by Matto to adopt.

Second by Voss.

Approved as to Form:

/s/ Cassie A. Bonefas  
Cassie A. Bonefas  
Assistant City Attorney

COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT
BOESEN	✓			
BARRON	✓			
GATTO	✓			
MANDELBAUM	✓			
SIMONSON	✓			
VOSS	✓			
WESTERGAARD	✓			
TOTAL	7			

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.

Connie Bauer Mayor

Laura Baumgartner City Clerk