



AGENDA MEMORANDUM

Action Item for the City Council Meeting of January 30, 2024

DATE: January 30, 2024
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Purchase of Three Harley-Davidson Motorcycles for the Corpus Christi Police Department

CAPTION:

Motion authorizing the purchase of one replacement and two additional Harley-Davidson police motorcycles from Corpus Christi Harley Davidson, for the Corpus Christi Police Department in an amount of \$96,427.96, with FY 2024 funding from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund.

SUMMARY:

This item is to approve the purchase of one replacement and two additional Harley-Davidson Model FLHTP police motorcycles for the Corpus Christi Police Department (CCPD).

BACKGROUND AND FINDINGS:

CCPD previously purchased 10 Harley-Davidson police motorcycles in 2018. The 10 Harley-Davidson police motorcycle are currently utilized by CCPD's Traffic Investigation Unit for traffic enforcement. However, one of the 10 was wrecked and is out of commission. The purchase of the three Harley-Davidson police motorcycles will provide for the replacement of one wrecked motorcycle unit and add two motorcycle units to the Traffic Investigation Unit. This purchase will bring the total number of CCPD's Harley-Davidson police motorcycles to 12. The purchase will include motorcycle, emergency equipment lights, siren, crash bars, saddlebag guards, and other ancillary equipment.

The new units will be added to the City's current maintenance agreement with Corpus Christi Harley-Davidson.

PROCUREMENT DETAIL:

This procurement is under Texas Local Government Code 252.022(a)(2) a procurement necessary to preserve or protect the public health and safety of the municipality's residents and 252.022(a)(3) a procurement necessary because of unforeseen damage to public machinery, equipment or other

property.

The purchase of the specified equipment is critical to safety operations. The standardization of said equipment is critical for a fluid operation and reduces the need for additional training. Maintenance and repairs are done at the local Harley Davidson dealer. CCPD has an excellent relationship with the vendor and desires to continue working with them for the Harley-Davidson motorcycle purchases as well as for maintenance and repairs.

ALTERNATIVES:

The alternative is not to approve the proposed purchase; however, CCPD will not have a replacement for the wrecked motorcycle unit, and it will not be able to grow its motorcycle fleet by the two additional motorcycle units that are needed to the Traffic Investigation Unit.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The fiscal impact for FY 2024 is in an amount of \$96,427.96. The total amount will be paid from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund.

FUNDING DETAIL:

Fund: 1074 Law Enforcement Trust Fund - State
Dept/Org/Activity: 29- 89- 826000S
Project# (CIP Only): N/A
Account: 550020
Amount: \$96,427.96

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the purchase of one replacement and two additional Harley-Davidson motorcycles, as presented.

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

Price Sheet
Resolution