



City of Niagara Falls, New York

Office of the Mayor

TO: The City Council
FROM: Mayor Robert M. Restaino
DATE: April 15, 2022
SUBJECT: Purchase of Fleet Vehicles for the Niagara Falls Police Department – Patrol Division

We respectfully request your approval for the expenditure of American Rescue Plan funds allocated for the purchase of ten (10) 2021 Dodge Durango AWD fleet vehicles for the City of Niagara Falls Police Department.

The City's Purchasing Division has solicited this mini-bid through the New York State Office of General Services' Vehicle Procurement process to replace older, obsolete vehicles and update the Niagara Falls Police Department's ("NFPD") fleet. After receiving the mini-bid responses, we respectfully request you award the above-referenced mini-bid as follows:

TO:	Falls Dodge, Inc. dba Joe Cecconi's Chrysler Complex 2380 Military Road <u>Niagara Falls, New York 14304-1563</u>	
FOR:	Nine (9) 2021 Dodge Durango Police AWD - Patrol	\$ 34,263.72 each
		TOTAL: \$308,373.48
TO:	Falls Dodge, Inc. dba Joe Cecconi's Chrysler Complex 2380 Military Road <u>Niagara Falls, New York 14304-1563</u>	
FOR:	One (1) 2021 Dodge Durango Police AWD - Patrol	\$ 33,860.57

The total purchase price for the ten (10) vehicles is **\$ 342,234.05**. Additionally, these vehicles will need to be lettered and striped, as well as have the lighting, radios and instrumentation installed. NFPD has acquired estimates for the costs of fully outfitting these ten (10) vehicles from FM Communications, 1914 Colvin Boulevard, Tonawanda, Niagara Falls, New York. The cost for these services is expected to be **\$112,250.00** for a total cost to the City of **\$454,484.05**

The City Purchasing Division certifies that this bid was solicited in accordance with Section 103 of the General Municipal Law and in accordance with New York State's mini-bid procedures via the NYS Vehicle Marketplace.

Funding for this project is available from American Rescue Plan Funds under the Treasury Guidance Expenditure Category 6.1, which is "Revenue Replacement for the Provision of Government Services".

Will the Council so authorize the Mayor to execute an agreement with the above named vendors in a form acceptable to the Corporation Counsel?

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Respectfully submitted,

Mayor Robert M. Restaino

Anthony J. Restaino
City Administrator

Funding Approval:

Leeann K. Huey
Purchasing Agent

Daniel Morello
City Controller