



BOARD REPORT

TO: VILLAGE PRESIDENT & BOARD OF TRUSTEES

FROM: PAT ROLLINS, CHIEF OF POLICE
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SUBJECT: DISCUSSION: PURCHASE OF TWO REPLACEMENT POLICE CHEVY TAHOE VEHICLES

AGENDA: 2/3/2026

DATE: 4/14/2026

ISSUE

Should the Village Board approve the purchase of two 2026 Police Chevrolet Tahoe Vehicles for the department.

DISCUSSION

Following the rotation of our police vehicles, the Fiscal Year 2026-2027 Budget provided funding to replace two police vehicles.

Miles Chevrolet, which holds the government contract through Chevrolet manufacturing, has additional new 2026 Police Chevy Tahoe's that are soon to be produced on the factory lines. They advised that a few of the squads will be available to police agencies on a first-come, first-served basis.

Squad purchases over the past few years have been delayed or backordered for several reasons. Taking advantage of new squads earlier in the budget year will bring the department on track with the existing replacement schedule, as two squads will be replaced this fiscal year. The new squads will be rotated for patrol operations and will be fully marked squad cars.

Squad vehicles that are due to be replaced this budget year are:

2021 Chevy Tahoe

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If approved by the Village Board, staff will ask Miles Chevrolet to place a temporary hold on two squads on our behalf, as staff must advise Miles Chevrolet of the decision by April 23.

Staff will bring an agenda item to the Village Board for the purchase of squad cars, the installation of equipment, and outfitting costs.

COST

The cost for the 2026 Chevy Tahoe vehicles is approximately \$60,600 per vehicle (plus additional outfitting and equipment costs). If the Board directs staff to place a hold on two of the squads, we will seek to amend the Miles Chevy original build order with the manufacturer to include a couple of additional safety options for the squads. The actual cost for each squad will be available to us in approximately two weeks. The manufacturer will have the final say on whether we can add additional features at this time. The Fiscal Year 2026-2027 Capital Projects Fund, account 30-51-7006: Automotive Equipment, includes \$210,882 for replacing two Police Vehicles.

ATTACHMENTS

RECOMMENDATION

That the Village Board discuss the purchase of the two 2026 Police Chevy Tahoe Vehicles and associated costs to outfit them, and to direct staff on bringing this item back for approval at their next board meeting on May 5, 2026.