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DIRECTOR
CENTRAL PURCHASING

TO:

Linda Gorton, Mayor

FROM:

Todd Slatin, Director

Division of Central Purchasing

DATE:

January 24, 2023

SUBJECT:

Bid 152-2022 Ladder Truck

Bids for a ladder truck for the Division of Fire & Emergency Services were received in the Division of Central Purchasing on December 8, 2022.

Ionwave notified two hundred and fifty two (252) vendors with eighteen (18) vendors viewing the document. Two (2) bids were received. Although Atlantic Emergency Solutions is less expensive, the difference between delivery time of the proposals is 305 days. Delayed delivery time impacts the front line unit the purchase is scheduled to replace, as well as our aging reserve fleet inventory.

In addition to the delivery times proposed, Seagrave Fire Apparatus does not use proprietary parts and provides expedited service and repair.

The bid from Seagrave Fire Apparatus meets our requirements and is within budgetary constraints; therefore, I recommend Seagrave Fire Apparatus.

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