

TO: Mayor Linda Gordon

FROM: Jason Wells, Fire Chief

DATE: April 15th, 2021

SUBJECT: Sole Source, Paul Miller Truck Center

Request authorization to: Sole source Paul Miller Truck Center, 981 Beasley St, Lexington, KY 40509 for corrosion repair on trucks manufactured by E-One, Inc.

Reason for request: This vendor was previously approved as the sole source for these same repairs under resolution no. 738-2018; however, the completion of the repairs was delayed due to a lack of available reserve apparatus at that time and then COVID19. The vendor's parent company and business name changed in this interval, requiring a new resolution.

Of the vendors that the Fire Department uses for body and paint repair for fire trucks, Paul Miller Truck Center is the only vendor that responded positively and in agreement with E-One to perform repairs due to corrosion. This work is covered under warranty on a pro-rated basis, and therefore LFUCG would incur some of the cost of having these repairs made.

Department needs this action completed because: The corrosion repairs will cover all of the trucks that were purchased through Vogelpohl Fire Equipment, the dealer for E-One. Our current budgeting will cover our portion of the cost for these repairs which varies with each vehicle. We have 13 trucks that are or may become affected by corrosion. Two were repaired under the previous resolution.

What is the cost in this budget year and future budget years?

The cost for this FY is: \$65,000.00 (estimated \$5,000.00 per truck)

The cost for future FY is: 0

Are the funds budgeted?

The funds are budgeted for FY2021.
Account number: 505702-5713-76331

File Number:

Director/Commissioner:

