## MAYOR LINDA GORTON



Jason G. Wells Fire Chief

TO: Mayor Linda Gorton

FROM: Jason G. Wells, Fire Chief

DATE: July 23, 2021

SUBJECT: Sole Source Provider- Excellance Ambulances

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The Division of Fire and Emergency Services Request authorization to grant Excellance Ambulances, maker of ambulances, which the Lexington Fire Department uses for purchase of ambulances over the past thirteen years a sole source provider.

Why are you requesting? The Lexington Fire Department over the past thirteen years has purchased Excellance ambulances and ambulance remounts in order to provide uniformity to their fleet. The remounts preserve the longevity of the apparatus. The remounts are also a more cost effective measure of maintaining our current apparatus instead of purchasing a brand new apparatus. Excellance was chosen after a competitive bidding process and has continued to maintain an industry competitive rate.

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

The cost for this FY is: 750,000.00 The cost for future FY is: 750,000.00

Are the funds budgeted? YES

Account number: 2612 505702 5713 96957

File Number:

Director/Commissioner: Wells/Armstrong

