

# City of Fayetteville, Arkansas

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## Legislation Text

File #: 2023-1203

#### **ROTOCHOPPER INC:**

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF A GRINDER FROM ROTOCHOPPER INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$634,952.00, PLUS ANY APPLICABLE SURCHARGES, FREIGHT CHARGES, AND DELIVERY FEES PURSUANT TO A SOURCEWELL COOPERATIVE PURCHASING CONTRACT, AND TO APPROVE A BUDGET ADJUSTMENT

WHEREAS, Unit 4026, a 2015 Rotochopper FP-66 has been in service since March of 2015 and is approaching 9 years in an 8 year life cycle.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS:

<u>Section 1:</u> That the City Council of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas hereby approves the purchase of a Rotochopper FP66TT Track Trailerable grinder from Rotochopper, Inc. for the amount of \$634,952.00, plus any applicable surcharges, freight charges, and delivery fees, pursuant to Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing Contract #030923-RTO.

<u>Section 2:</u> That the City Council of the City of Fayetteville, Arkansas hereby approves a budget adjustment, a copy of which is attached to this Resolution.



# CITY COUNCIL MEMO

2023-1203

#### **MEETING OF DECEMBER 5, 2023**

**TO:** Mayor Jordan and City Council

**THRU:** Terry Gulley, Asst Public Works Director - Ops

**FROM:** Ross Jackson, Jr., Fleet Operations Superintendent

DATE:

SUBJECT: ROTOCHOPPER INC:

#### RECOMMENDATION:

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF A ROTOCHOPPER FP66TT TRACK TRAILERABLE FROM ROTOCHOPPER INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$634,952, PLUS ANY APPLICABLE FREIGHT CHARGES, SURCHARGES AND DELIVERY FEES UP TO 10% OF THE ORIGINAL PURCHASE PRICE, PURSUANT TO A SOURCEWELL COOPERATIVE PURCHASING CONTRACT (030923-RTO), AND TO APPROVE A BUDGET ADJUSTMENT.

#### BACKGROUND:

Unit 4026 is a 2015 Rotochopper FP-66 that has been in service since March of 2015. It is quickly approaching 9 years in a 8 year life cycle.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

Overall this unit has been very reliable and capable for the City of Fayetteville. The shop staff have become very proficient and knowledgeable with the specialized repairs these units require. Due to the age of unit 4026 it has had increasing mechanical and hydraulic issues that result in extended down time and repairs. Fleet recommends we move forward with the purchase of the replacement Rotochopper and trade in of unit 4026. This will also allow RTC staff to save time, better utilize labor, reduce exhaust and green house gas emissions and additional equipment required to tow and move the replacement Rotochopper.

### **BUDGET/STAFF IMPACT:**

Because this purchase is an upgrade, it will require a budget adjustment that is being submitted to utilize both Fleet and RTC's fund balance for this purchase. This unit was presented at the November 14th Equipment Committee.

**ATTACHMENTS:** SRF (#3), BA (#4), City of Fayetteville FP66TT Updated Quote (#5), Tax Exempt Form COF (#6)