

### City of Fayetteville, Arkansas

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#### Legislation Text

File #: 2024-1815

#### **Lewis Automotive Group**

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF TWO ELECTRIC VEHICLES FROM LEWIS AUTOMOTIVE GROUP IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$123,249.00 PLUS ANY APPLICABLE SURCHARGES, FREIGHT CHARGES, AND DELIVERY FEES UP TO 10% OF THE ORIGINAL PRICE, PURSUANT TO ORDINANCE 6491, AND TO APPROVE A BUDGET ADJUSTMENT

# 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 authorizes the purchase of the Mustang Mach-E and the 2024 Ford Lightning in the total amount of \$123,249.00 plus any applicable surcharges, freight charges, and delivery fees up to 10% of the original price.

<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**

2024-1815

#### **MEETING OF APRIL 2, 2024**

TO: Mayor Jordan and City Council

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

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

SUBJECT: Lewis Automotive Group

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF TWO VEHICLES FROM LEWIS AUTOMOTIVE GROUP OF FAYETTEVILLE AR pursuant to Ordinance 6491, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$123,249 PLUS ANY APPLICABLE SURCHARGES, FREIGHT CHARGES, AND DELIVERY FEES UP TO 10% OF THE ORIGINAL PRICE, AND TO APPROVE BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

Fleet has began the process of implementing light duty rolling stock EV replacements where utilization and mission allow.

#### **DISCUSSION:**

Parking Division's unit 1282 began to have engine oil consumption issues recognized by the manufacturer, necessitating it coming out of front line service. Fleet is recommending replacement instead of repairs. An EV sedan will be purchased in its place.

Unit 1189u is no longer capable of front line service or motorpool rental operations. An EV pickup will be purchased and will have an initial purpose of being loaned out to divisions to use and demo for utilization data collection for future EV replacement and staff familiarization. After that, it will have 3 uses within Fleet; a shop admin vehicle, used by light automotive staff for service calls and transportation of employees and equipment to vendors when workload requires.

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

Budget adjustments are being presented for your approval.

These purchases were unanimously approved at the March 12th Equipment Committee.

**ATTACHMENTS:** SRF (#3), BA (#4), Lewis Ford Quote (#5), Lewis Ford Ford Mach-E (#6), Ordinance 6491 - Bid Waving (#7)