



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

MEETING DATE: MAY 21, 2013

ITEM NUMBER: CC-9

SUBJECT: APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF TWO NEW 2013 FORD 'TRANSIT CONNECT' AND ONE NEW 2013 FORD 'FUSION'

DATE: MAY 8, 2013

FROM: PUBLIC SERVICES DEPARTMENT- MAINTENANCE SERVICES DIVISION

PRESENTATION BY: ERNESTO MUNOZ, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICES

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RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the purchase of two 2013 Ford 'Transit Connect' vehicles and one 2013 Ford 'Fusion' from Theodore Robins Ford, 2060 Harbor Blvd., Costa Mesa, California, 92626, CA for a total purchase price of \$65,204.94.

BACKGROUND:

This purchase provides for two (2) new 2013 Ford Transit Connect vans for the Police Department's CSI Program and one (1) new 2013 Ford Fusion for the Police Detectives Program. The current CSI vehicles being replaced are a 1999 and a 2000 Chevrolet 'Astro' van. Both of these vehicles have over 100,000 miles and have exceeded their service life. The 2013 Ford 'Fusion' is replacing a 1997 Oldsmobile with over 90,000 miles that is in poor condition and has exceeded its service life.

ANALYSIS:

The City received three bid submittals. Theodore Robins Ford submitted the lowest responsive and responsible bid of \$65,204.94. See Attachment 1.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED:

The alternative to purchasing two new CSI vehicles and one investigation vehicle is to retain the vehicles that are currently being used. Due to the high maintenance costs, limited parts availability and age of the vehicles, staff does not recommend this alternative.

FISCAL REVIEW:

Funding for the three vehicles is included in the FY 12-13 Public Services Department budget. The total cost for the three vehicles is \$65,204.94.

LEGAL REVIEW:

There is no legal review required on this item.

CONCLUSION:

Staff recommends that the City Council approve the purchase of the two (2) new 2013 Ford 'Transit Connect' and one (1) Ford 'Fusion' from Theodore Robins Ford located in Costa Mesa in the amount of \$65,204.94.

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ATTACHMENTS: 1. [Bid Tabulation](#)