

Council Meeting of
July 19, 2011

Honorable Mayor and Members
of the Torrance City Council
City Hall
Torrance, California

Members of the Council:

**SUBJECT: General Services – Authorize a purchase order for five (5)
model year 2012 Ford Fusion Hybrid Sedans**

Ref: Bid B2011-26

**Expenditure: \$142,653.01 (includes Sales Tax, Tire and
Delivery Fees)**

RECOMMENDATION

Recommendation of the General Services Director that the City Council authorize issuance of a purchase order to Wondries Fleet Group of Alhambra, CA in the amount of \$142,653.01 for the purchase of five (5) model year 2012 Ford Fusion Hybrid Sedans for the Torrance Police Department.

Funding

Funding is available in the FY 2011-2012 Fleet Services Vehicle and Equipment Revolving Fund.

BACKGROUND

Torrance Police Department (TPD) has five (5) sedans currently scheduled for replacement. All are used for administrative purposes.

In keeping with the City's long-term goal of "greening" the fleet in order to reduce vehicle emissions within the community as well as to reduce fuel consumption, TPD staff recommends that the vehicles below be replaced with more fuel-efficient and lower emission gasoline-electric hybrids (e.g., Ford Fusion Hybrid Sedan).

Vehicles recommended for replacement are as follows:

Vehicle #	Year, Make, Model	Mileage	Condition
7088	2001 Chevy Lumina (Admin use)	32,217	Poor
7089	2001 Chevy Lumina (Admin use)	46,757	Poor
7092	2001 Chevy Lumina (Admin use)	61,202	Poor
7128	2006 Toyota Avalon (Admin use)	95,697	Poor
7382	2006 Ford CVPI Patrol Car (Admin use)	52,901	Poor

ANALYSIS

Bids received under # B2011-26 were opened on June 23, 2011. The City received a total of three (3) bids as follows:

Vendor	Total Bid (incl. taxes, tire fees)
Wondries Fleet Group * Alhambra, CA	\$142,653.01
Frontier Ford Santa Clara, CA	\$143,518.71
Raceway Ford Riverside, CA	\$146,785.56

*Lowest Responsible Bidder

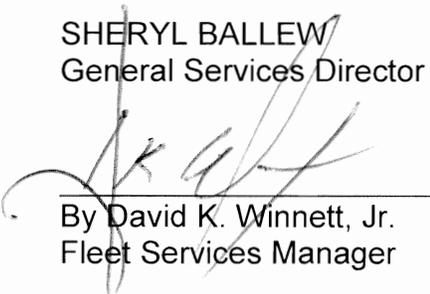
Staff contacted Power Ford of Torrance to inquire as to why they did not submit a bid. The General Manager indicated that they would respectfully like to decline to bid this time around.

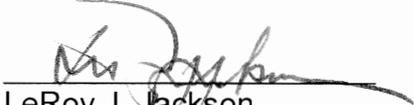
Respectfully submitted,

SHERYL BALLEW
General Services Director

CONCUR


Sheryl Ballew
General Services Director


By David K. Winnett, Jr.
Fleet Services Manager


LeRoy J. Jackson
City Manager