

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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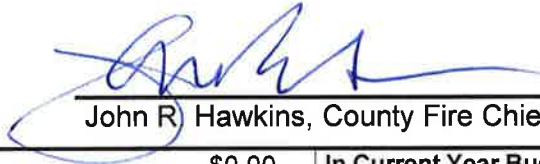
**FROM:** FIRE DEPARTMENT

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**  
12/01/2011

**SUBJECT:** Authorization to accept donation of a Ford electric - utility cart from City of Palm Desert.

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors to accept the donation of utility cart from City of Palm Desert.

**BACKGROUND:** The City of Palm Desert has donated the 2002 Ford electric – utility cart VIN number 1FABP225420104752 to Riverside County Fire Department. This vehicle is used to support our operations at special events. Being sized smaller than an ambulance or squad, it allows us to move our firefighters and paramedics as well as their equipment through crowds to access emergencies and move patients in an expedient manner. There are little maintenance requirements and minimal operating costs involved. The Department is requesting acceptance of this donation.

  
John R. Hawkins, County Fire Chief

<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$0.00	In Current Year Budget:	No
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$0.00	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$0.00	For Fiscal Year:	11/12

<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS:</b>	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:** APPROVE  
 BY:   
 Robert Tremaine  
**County Executive Office Signature**

Consent  
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Dep't Recomm.:  
 Per Exec. Ofc.:



# CITY OF PALM DESERT

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OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

October 12, 2011

Division Chief Dorian Cooley  
CALFIRE/Riverside County Fire Department  
West Desert Division  
77-933 Las Montañas Rd., Suite 205  
Palm Desert, California 92211

Dear Chief Cooley:

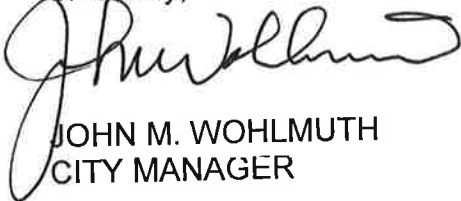
The Cove Communities Commission previously operated and owned a 2002 Ford Electric Vehicle (V.I.N. 1FABP225420104752), which was donated by Palm Springs Motors.

When the Cove Cities opted to contract for fire support services independently, the vehicle was transferred to the City of Palm Desert. It is currently housed by CALFIRE at Rancho Mirage Station No. 50. The unit is fully decaled with Riverside County/CALFIRE logos and is used at special events as necessary.

On July 14, 2011, the Palm Desert City Council authorized staff to donate this vehicle to the Riverside County Fire Department, who will also assume all maintenance and related costs/encumbrances. I have attached a copy of this staff report for your records.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Stephen Y. Aryan, Assistant to the City Manager, at (760) 776-6326. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



JOHN M. WOHLMUTH  
CITY MANAGER

Enclosure: Staff Report (07/14/11)

cc: City Council  
Battalion Chief John Rios, Riverside County Fire Department  
Battalion Chief Bill Hunley, Riverside County Fire Department  
Stephen Y. Aryan, Assistant to the City Manager  
Paul Gibson, Directory of Finance/City Treasurer

CITY OF PALM DESERT  
CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

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STAFF REPORT

**REQUEST:** AUTHORIZATION TO DONATE THE CITY'S 2002 FORD FIRE DEPARTMENT ELECTRIC VEHICLE TO THE RIVERSIDE COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT.

**SUBMITTED BY:** Stephen Y. Aryan, Assistant to the City Manager

**DATE:** July 14, 2011

**CONTENTS:** Electric Vehicle Photograph

**Recommendation**

By Minute Motion, that the City Council, Authorize staff to donate the City's Fire Department Electric Vehicle to the Riverside County Fire Department.

**Background**

The Cove Communities Commission previously operated and owned a 2002 Ford Electric Vehicle, which was donated by Palm Springs Motors. When the Cove Cities opted to contract for fire support services independently, the vehicle was transferred to the City of Palm Desert. It is currently housed by CalFire at Rancho Mirage Station No. 50. The unit is fully decaled with Riverside County/CalFire logos and is used at special events as necessary. Staff recommends donating this unit to the Riverside County Fire Department, who will assume all maintenance and related costs with this vehicle.

**Fiscal Impact**

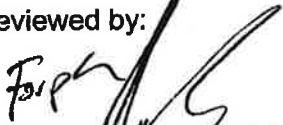
There is no fiscal impact associated with this donation, as the City is not responsible for any maintenance or other costs associated with this vehicle.

Submitted by:



Stephen Y. Aryan  
Assistant to the City Manager

Reviewed by:



Paul S. Gibson  
Director of Finance/City Treasurer

Approved by:



John M. Wohlmut  
City Manager

CITY COUNCIL ACTION

APPROVED K DENIED \_\_\_\_\_  
RECEIVED \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

MEETING DATE 7-14-11  
AYES: Finerty, Harnik, Kroonen, Spiegel  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: Benson  
ABSTAIN: None  
VERIFIED BY: RDB/glm

Original on File with City Clerk's Office