

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



ITEM: 3.26  
(ID # 18790)

MEETING DATE:  
Tuesday, April 12, 2022

FROM : SHERIFF-CORONER-PA:

SUBJECT: SHERIFF-CORONER-PA: Authorize the Purchasing Agent to issue a Purchase Order to Browning Dodge Chrysler Jeep Ram for the purchase of two (2) Dodge trucks for the Sheriff's Department for FY 21-22. All Districts; [Total Cost - \$147,633] 100% Sheriff's Budget

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorize the Purchasing Agent to issue a Purchase Order to Browning Dodge Chrysler Jeep Ram for the purchase of two (2) Dodge RAM 3500 4X4 trucks in the amount of \$147,633.

ACTION: Policy

  
Donald Sharp, Assistant Sheriff 4/5/2022

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MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Perez, seconded by Supervisor Jeffries and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt  
Nays: None  
Absent: None  
Date: April 12, 2022  
xc: Sheriff-Coroner-PA

Kecia R. Harper  
Clerk of the Board

By:   
Deputy

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<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	<b>Current Fiscal Year:</b>	<b>Next Fiscal Year:</b>	<b>Total Cost:</b>	<b>Ongoing Cost</b>
<b>COST</b>	\$ 147,633	\$ 0	\$ 147,633	\$ 0
<b>NET COUNTY COST</b>	\$ 147,633	\$ 0	\$ 147,633	\$ 0
<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS: 100% Sheriff's Budget</b>			<b>Budget Adjustment: No</b>	
			<b>For Fiscal Year: 21/22</b>	

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:** Approve

**BACKGROUND:**

**Summary**

The Sheriff's Department is requesting to purchase two (2) Dodge RAM 3500 4X4 to support the Mounted Enforcement Detail (MED) Unit. The goal of the MED Team is to promote public relations in the community through outreach and mutual aid. The Unit consists of members who use their specialized training and equipment to provide support as requested in the following areas: promote positive communications and interactions with the community, assist with special operation's functions, perform crowd control assignments, support in natural disasters especially in areas where access to vehicles is limited or prohibited and assist with search and rescue operations.

The Unit comprises of specially trained deputies who utilize their personal horses and are certified to function as mounted law enforcement officers. To better serve the citizens of Riverside County, the Unit will use the trucks to transport the horses, team members and equipment to training, callouts, and routine patrols throughout the County of Riverside and outlying jurisdictions for mutual aid requests.

**Contract History and Price Reasonableness**

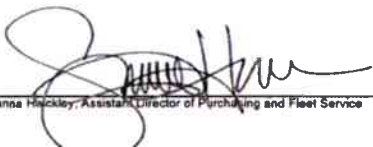
Sheriff Purchasing released a solicitation, Request for Quotation (RFQ) # SHARC-463 for two (2) Dodge Ram 3500 4X4 Diesel Engine Trucks. The bid was advertised on RivcoPRO and potential bidders were notified and invited to participate in the bid. Given the inventory and microchip challenge of the current market and delivery timeline as required per the bid, only a handful of vendors participated in the bid. The response was evaluated based on the criteria set forth in the RFQ: lowest overall purchase price, adherence to specifications as detailed in the RFQ, manufacturer rebate, warranties, all associated delivery costs, delivery date, product acceptability and service/customer support. As a result of the bid, Browning Dodge Chrysler Jeep Ram is the most responsive/responsible bidder.

The current fiscal cost for 2 Dodge trucks totals \$147,633 (\$73,816.50 each) and the purchase includes all costs associated with the purchase of the vehicles. The purchase will be paid for using the Sheriff's budget.

**Impact on Residents and Businesses**

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The trucks will be used to support the Department's operation and provide the MED the ability to transport the trailers, horses and equipment to patrol and support events as needed by the Department. During demonstrations and special events, the Unit provides an important law enforcement presence especially in large open space where they can visually see greater distance and safely maneuver crowds as needed to maintain control and safety of the public.



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Suzanna Mackley, Assistant Director of Purchasing and Fleet Service

4/5/2022



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Rebecca S Cortez, Principal Management Analyst

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