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CITY of NOVI CITY COUNCIL

Agenda Item K
August 22, 2011

SUBJECT: Approval to purchase an unmarked vehicle from Varsity Lincoln Mercury, Novi, MI for the Novi Police Department in the amount of \$18,086, based on the lowest quotes received.

SUBMITTING DEPARTMENT: Public Safety - Police *DEM*

CITY MANAGER APPROVAL: *[Signature]*

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| EXPENDITURE REQUIRED | \$18,086 (\$13,086 net cost to the City) |
| AMOUNT BUDGETED | \$20,000 |
| APPROPRIATION REQUIRED | N/A |
| LINE ITEM NUMBER | 266-266.00-983.245 |

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

As part of the FY 2011-12 budget process, forfeiture funds were allocated for the replacement of an unmarked vehicle. The current vehicle is a 2005 Ford Five Hundred with over 142K miles. We can reasonably anticipate that a vehicle with this many miles will need significant repairs in the near future.

The purchase will be made through Varsity Lincoln Mercury of Novi, MI. A comparison of quotes received from dealers was done with Varsity Lincoln Mercury being the lowest at \$18,086. In addition, Varsity Lincoln Mercury has appraised the trade-in value of the Ford Five Hundred at \$5,000. The total cost of the vehicle to the City of Novi would be \$13,086. The trade-in value of the Ford Five Hundred on the Kelly Blue Book website is listed at \$4,200.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approval to purchase an unmarked vehicle for the Novi Police Department in the amount of \$18,086, based on the lowest quotes received.

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