

Resolution No.

STOCKTON CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION APPROVING FINDINGS AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT A FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY 2020 ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE AERIAL LADDER TRUCK THROUGH A COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENT THROUGH SOURCEWELL

The Stockton Fire Department (SFD) applied for a 2020 Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) seeking funds to aid the City in replacing part of its aging fleet of fire apparatus; and

In September 2021, FEMA awarded grant funds in the amount of \$1,181,818.18 to the SFD under the 2020 AFG for the purpose of purchasing one aerial ladder truck; and

The replacement purchase of one aerial ladder truck utilized by the SFD is recommended to replace part of the City's aging fleet of fire apparatus; and

Sourcewell is a public agency based in Minnesota that serves as a municipal contracting agency. The use of the contract is optional and is available to California State and local government agencies; and

Sourcewell has a contract with Rosenbauer America, LLC for preferential pricing of fire and emergency response vehicles. The specifications for the unit through the Sourcewell contract meet the City's requirements for this type of equipment; and

The Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with Rosenbauer America, LLC was established pursuant to formal competitive bidding processes conducted by Sourcewell on behalf of its governmental members, of which the City is one; and

For the purchase of one aerial ladder truck, staff recommends utilizing a Sourcewell contract with Rosenbauer America, LLC in the amount of \$1,531,875.70; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKTON, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Manager is authorized to accept grant funds from FEMA for the 2020 AFG, in the amount of \$1,181,818.18, to aid the City in the purchase of one aerial ladder truck.

2. The City Manager is directed to make all necessary budget appropriations and transfer of match funds from the Measure W Fund in compliance with, and for the purposes stated in the grant agreement.

3. The City Council hereby approves the following findings in support of granting an exception to the competitive bid process pursuant to Stockton Municipal Code section 3.68.070:

- a. Sourcewell established a Cooperative Purchasing Agreement for the purchase of fire and emergency response vehicles with Rosenbauer America, LLC.
- b. The Rosenbauer America, LLC Cooperative Purchasing Agreement was established pursuant to formal competitive bidding processes conducted by Sourcewell on behalf of its governmental members, of which the City is one.
- c. Taking advantage of the leveraged procurement agreement negotiated by Sourcewell will save the administrative expense of City staff conducting separate procurements.
- d. The specifications for the replacement equipment available through the Sourcewell contracts meet the City's requirements for their equipment type.

4. The City Council hereby authorizes the use of a Cooperative Purchasing Agreement through Sourcewell Contract No. 022818 to provide the City access to preferential pricing of fire and emergency response vehicles from Rosenbauer America, LLC.

5. The City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute a contract in the amount of \$1,531,875.70 with Rosenbauer America, LLC to purchase one aerial ladder truck, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit 1 and incorporated by this reference.

6. The City Manager is hereby authorized to take whatever actions are necessary and appropriate to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED October 12, 2021.

KEVIN J. LINCOLN II
Mayor of the City of Stockton

ATTEST:

ELIZA R. GARZA, CMC
City Clerk of the City of Stockton