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DATE: 05/02/2023

SUBJECT: BID NO. 2023-102 - PURCHASE OF FULL-SIZE PICKUP TRUCKS - SHERIFF'S OFFICE - VARIOUS VENDORS - PER UNIT PRICE

## COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court award Bid No. 2023-102, Purchase of Full-Size Pickup Trucks, for the Sheriff's Office, to the following vendors at the per unit price:

Primary Randall Reed's Planet Ford 635 6 of 6 Items
Southwest CDJR LLC 1 of 6 Items

## **BACKGROUND**

Notice of the County's intent to bid was advertised in local newspapers, as required by State statute, and posted on the Internet, the Arlington Black Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Metropolitan Black Chamber of Commerce, and the Tarrant County Asian American Chamber of Commerce. One hundred ninety-four (194) vendors were contacted and requested to participate in this bid process. All documents pertaining to this bid were posted on the Tarrant County website and were downloaded by interested bidders. Two (2) bids were received.

Bids were evaluated by the Sheriff's Office and Purchasing representatives. Award recommendations are to the low bids meeting specifications.

Southwest CDJR LLC did not meet specifications for Items 1 and 2 because they did not offer the required year model as specified, and for Item 4 because they did not meet the minimum eight (8) foot long bed as required.

Therefore, it is the joint recommendation of the Sheriff's Office and Purchasing that Bid No. 2023-102, Purchase of Full-Size Pickup Trucks, be awarded to the vendors listed above at the per unit price.

## FISCAL IMPACT

Funding is available in account GRANT-2004/M0044-2023/2110520000.

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