### **CITY of NOVI CITY COUNCIL**



Agenda Item P November 14, 2011

**SUBJECT:** Approval to purchase one (1) 2012 Ford Expedition 4x4 EL Special Service Vehicle through the Macomb County Cooperative Bid Program from Signature Ford, in the amount of \$32,060.

SUBMITTING DEPARTMENT: Pupilic Safety - Police

## CITY MANAGER APPROVAL:

EXPENDITURE REQUIRED	\$32,060
AMOUNT BUDGETED	\$35,000
APPROPRIATION REQUIRED	N/A
LINE ITEM NUMBER	266-266.00-983.000

#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

As part of the FY 2011-12 budget process, forfeiture funds were approved to purchase one (1) replacement SUV type marked patrol vehicle. This specialty vehicle is for the exclusive use of the on duty uniform patrol supervisor. The current Expedition has 67,922 miles and per the Collective Bargaining Agreement all patrol vehicles must be retired after 80,000 miles. At the request of the administration, the Command Officer's Association of Michigan (COAM) has agreed to extend the mileage on this vehicle to 90,000. By proceeding with the purchase, at this time, the 2012 pricing will be locked in through December 28, 2011 and there will be no risk of a price increase before the order is placed.

The Department is pleased with the performance of the two 2009 Expeditions in its fleet. The Expedition is the preferred vehicle based on their durability and effectiveness in bad weather. The supervisory vehicle is loaded with numerous pieces of equipment used in emergency situations and is prepared to act as a temporary command post during rapid response incidents. Day-to-day supplies are also on hand to supplement the normal equipment that is placed in each patrol unit. Included in these supplies are the heavy raid bullet-proof vests with additional raid entry tools, additional traffic cones, flares and batteries to be deployed as needed.

Upon removal of the vehicle from service, it will be transferred to the Fire Department to pull rescue boats and assigned to Station #2. The Expedition will replace the white, 1997 Chevrolet S-10 pickup truck that is currently in the Fire Department fleet. This truck has 35,937 miles and is inadequate for towing of the rescue boats.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Approval to purchase one (1) 2012 Ford Expedition 4x4 EL Special Service Vehicle through the Macomb County Cooperative Bid Program from Signature Ford, in the amount of \$32,060.

	1	2	Υ	Ν
Mayor Gatt				
Council Member Casey				
Council Member Fischer				
Council Member Margolis				

	1	2	Y	Ν
Council Member Mutch				
Council Member Staudt				
Council Member Wrobel				



September 12, 2011

City of Novi Police Department Attn: Rick Mitchell 45175 W. Ten Mile Road Novi, MI 48375

Dear Rick Mitchell:

Price on 2011 Vehicle on Macomb County Contract Bid:

#### 2012 Ford Expedition EL 4x4 SSV in Black

\$32,060.00 ea

<u>Standard Service Contract</u>: 36,000 miles or 36 months factory Bumper to Bumper Warranty and 60,000 miles 60 months Powertrain Warranty . Service to be handled by your local Ford or Jeep Dealer.

# Order Cutoff Date: December 31st, 2011.

Ford Motor Company or DaimlerChrysler does not guarantee delivery---Ford Motor Company or DaimlerChrysler will make reasonable efforts to schedule orders received prior to fleet order cut-off date.

<u>Payment requirements</u>: All departments to pay on delivery of vehicle. 10-day grace period will be given if previous arrangements have been made. A \$9.50 per day floor plan will be charged if payment is not at the dealership within 10 days of delivery of the vehicle (s).

If you have any questions please call me, 888-92-FLEET (923-5338)

Respectfully Submitted,

William J. Campbell Jr. Government & Fleet Sales