

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

ITEM NO. C(8)

AGENDA ITEM ABSTRACT

MEETING DATE: January 15, 2008

TITLE: A Request to Authorize the Purchase of a 2008 Condor Chassis/Labrie Body Solid Waste Truck and to Declare the 2000 Crane Carrier/Loadmaster as Surplus Property for the Purpose of a Trade-In

DEPARTMENT: Management Services	PUBLIC HEARING: YES ___ NO <u>x</u>
ATTACHMENTS: A: Resolution	FOR INFORMATION CONTACT: George Seiz, Director of Public Works 918-7427 Sandy Svoboda, Purchasing Officer 918-7301

PURPOSE

The purpose of this agenda item is to authorize the purchase of a 2008 Condor Chassis/Labrie Body solid waste truck for the Public Works department. The Board is also requested to declare the 2000 Crane Carrier/Loadmaster currently owned by the Town as surplus property and to authorize the use of this as a trade in for the new solid waste truck purchase.

INFORMATION

A request for bids was advertised on our website and in the Chapel Hill Herald on November 29, 2007. Bids from Amick Equipment Company, Inc. and Triad Freightliner of Greensboro, Inc. were received December 17, 2007.

The Public Works Department wishes to purchase from Amick Equipment Company a 2008 Condor Chassis/Labrie Body solid waste truck at a cost of \$249,371. Amick Equipment Company has offered to accept the 2000 Crane Carrier/Loadmaster currently owned by the Town as a trade in for the 2008 Condor Chassis/Labrie Body solid waste truck purchase. The trade in allowance is \$16,000. The total purchase cost after the trade in is \$233,371.

FISCAL IMPACT

This item is part of the scheduled FY07-08 CIP equipment and vehicle lease-purchase schedule. The cost of the solid waste truck is within the budget estimate.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

The Board of Aldermen is requested to declare the 2000 Crane Carrier/Loadmaster as surplus property for purpose of trade-in for the solid waste truck and purchase of the 2008 Condor Chassis/Labrie Body solid waste truck requested by the Public Works Department.