

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA APPROVING A SOLE SOURCE PURCHASE WITH SOUTH COAST FIRE EQUIPMENT AND A 10-YEAR LEASE PURCHASE AGREEMENT WITH JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. FOR THE ACQUISITION OF ONE (1) PIERCE ARROW XT TRIPLE COMBINATION PUMPER/FIRE ENGINE AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE THE FINAL PURCHASE AND LEASE AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, Chula Vista Municipal Code Section 2.56.070.B.4 provides a sole source purchase exception to the City's formal competitive bidding requirements for equipment purchases exceeding \$100,000 where such commodity is available from only one known source as the result of compatibility requirements and/or unique market conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Chula Vista Fire Department delivers Fire, Rescue and Emergency Medical Services to Chula Vista residents, visitors, and employees every day; and

WHEREAS, emergency response services are provided with several different types of fire apparatus including triple combination pumper/fire engines, aerial ladder trucks, a heavy rescue, a brush engine and battalion chief vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department will be opening Millenia Fire Station/Station 10, providing Fire, Rescue and Emergency Medical Services to those in that community; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department will continue to meet the NFPA standards and increase the reliability of our current fleet with less downtime for mechanical issues and provide a safer response vehicle than our existing fleet; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department is recommending to enter into a sole source purchase with South Coast Fire Equipment for the acquisition of one (1) Pierce Arrow XT Triple Combination Pumper/Fire Engine which will be used as the front-line apparatus at the new Millenia Fire Station; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department is recommending to enter into a 10-year lease purchase agreement with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. for the acquisition of one (1) Pierce Arrow XT Triple Combination Pumper/Fire Engine in order to minimize the immediate fiscal impact; and

WHEREAS, the total cost to purchase one Pierce Arrow XT Triple Combination Pumper/Fire Engine is \$720,785.92, which will result in estimated annual payments in the amount of \$88,000. The total estimated amount paid for this fire apparatus including interest will be \$880,000 through the 10-year lease purchase option; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby finds and determines that the execution of one or more lease-purchase agreements in the principal amount not exceeding \$720,785.92 for the purpose of acquiring the property generally described as one (1) Pierce Arrow XT Triple Combination Pumper/Fire Engine and to be described more specifically in the Equipment Leases is appropriate and necessary to the functions and operations of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista that it approves a sole source purchase with South Coast Fire Equipment and a 10-year lease purchase agreement with JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. for the acquisition of one (1) Pierce Arrow XT Triple Combination Pumper/Fire Engine, in the form presented, with such modifications as may be required or approved by the City Attorney, a copy of which shall be kept on file in the office of the City Clerk, and authorizes the City Manager or designee to execute the lease-purchase agreement and all implementing documentation and agreements, in a form approved by the City Attorney, that are necessary and incidental to the purchase.

Presented by

Approved as to form by

Jim Geering
Fire Chief

Glen R. Googins
City Attorney