



CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

FROM: The Office of the City Manager **DATE:** January 9, 2017
SUBJECT: Approve purchase of turf equipment and riding mowers from John Deere for the Iron Horse Golf Course in the amount of \$129,619.90.
PRESENTER: Tim Doyle, Fleet Services Superintendent

SUMMARY:

In the 2016-17 adopted budget, \$130,707 was allocated for replacing equipment for the Iron Horse Golf Course. This item is to authorize the purchase of turf equipment in the amount of \$129,619.90.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

In the 2016-17 adopted budget, Council approved funding in the amount of \$130,707 to replace turf equipment at the Iron Horse Golf Course. Most of the equipment averages a 7-year replacement cycle.

The City of North Richland Hills is a member of several inter-local groups and utilized existing contracts with John Deere Dealerships and Professional Turf Products through the Local Government Purchasing Cooperative (BuyBoard contract 447-14) to request quotes on the equipment needed. The John Deere contract requires the purchase order for their equipment to be made out to John Deere via the local dealership of Austin Turf & Tractor.

The following items will be procured for the Iron Horse Golf Course.

Quantity	Description	Cost
1	John Deere 2500E-Cut Greens Mower	\$49,470.28
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1	John Deere X997R Mower	\$19,255.48
	John Deere MY16 1200A Bunker & Field	
1	Rake	<u>\$11,423.86</u>
Grand Total		\$129,619.90



The Local Government Code states that purchases made through a cooperative purchasing agreement satisfy any state law that would require the City to solicit competitive bids.

RECOMMENDATION:

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