



CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

From: The Office of the City Manager **Date:** June 26, 2017
Subject: Approve purchase of Police and Fire Department vehicles from Sam Pack's Five Star Ford in the amount of \$192,160.00.
Presenter: Mike Curtis, Managing Director

Summary:

The 2016-17 budget included the replacement of vehicles for the Police and Fire Department. It is being recommended to purchase these vehicles from Sam Pack's Five Star Ford.

General Description:

In the 2016-17 budget, funding was approved for the replacement of several vehicles. The table below identifies five new replacement vehicles for Council's consideration.

Qty.	Description	Department	Cost
3	Interceptor Explorers	Police	\$120,564
2	Interceptor Explorers	Fire	\$71,596
TOTAL			\$192,160

All of the vehicles being recommended for replacement have reached the end of their respective life cycles as outlined within the Vehicle Equipment Replacement Plan and confirmed with the departments. Due to current age and usage, continued repair and upkeep on these vehicles is no longer cost-effective.

The City of North Richland Hills is a member of several inter-local groups and utilizes existing contracts with vendors through the Local Government Purchasing Cooperatives. 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.

Sam Pack's Five Star Ford has submitted quotes using State of Texas contract #071-072-AT2016 totaling \$192,160 for the five vehicles. City staff is recommending purchasing the vehicles through this state of Texas contract. The City has conducted previous business with Sam Pack's Five Star Ford with good results.



Recommendation:

Approve purchase of Police and Fire Department vehicles from Sam Pack's Five Star Ford in the amount of \$192,160.00.