



## CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

**FROM:** The Office of the City Manager    **DATE:** October 2, 2017  
**SUBJECT:** Approve purchase of a Frazer ambulance from Mac Haik Dodge Chrysler Jeep in the amount of \$289,975.00  
**PRESENTER:** Mike Curtis, Managing Director

### **SUMMARY:**

The 2017-18 Capital Budget includes the replacement of a 2006 year-model frontline ambulance. It is being recommended to purchase a new Frazer ambulance.

### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION:**

The 2017-18 Capital Budget includes funding in the amount \$295,000 for the replacement of a 2006 year-model ambulance, Unit 973 which is currently in frontline service. Due to the importance of standardization for emergency vehicles, Frazer ambulances, built in Houston, TX, have been utilized for almost 18 years. Frazer builds a quality product and provides excellent service and support. Upon delivery, the new ambulance will be placed in frontline service.

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 allows purchases to be made through a cooperative purchasing agreement in satisfaction of any requirement for competitive bidding.

Frazer Ltd. has submitted the BuyBoard quote #275 in the amount of \$289,975.00 for a new 14' modular ambulance built on a 2017/18 Dodge chassis.

PROJECT NUMBER / DESC	ADOPTED BUDGET	BID AMOUNT	REMAINING FUNDS
FS1801 Ambulance	295,000.00	289,975.00	5,025.00

Frazer submitted the quote through Mac Haik Dodge Chrysler Jeep, their licensed franchise dealer. The estimated delivery date is April 2018. The graphics and miscellaneous items will be installed once the ambulance is delivered.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve purchase of a Frazer ambulance from Mac Haik Dodge Chrysler Jeep in the amount of \$289,975.00.