Borough of Fair Lawn



December 19, 2023

RESOLUTION NO. 436-2023

RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT FOR PURCHASE OF FORD POLICE VEHICLES TO NIELSON FORD

WHEREAS, the Borough of Fair Lawn (the "Borough") duly advertised for bids to be received on December 19, 2023 for Purchase of Ford Police Vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the Borough received two (2) bids as set forth on Exhibit A, Bid Summary, attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, the bids were referred to the Borough Manager and appropriate Department Head for review and recommendation; and

WHEREAS, the bid specifications contained a requirement that vehicles were to be delivered to the Borough within 45 days of the award date, and required bidders to indicate whether the vehicles were "in stock."; and

WHEREAS, Paramus Ford indicated that the vehicles were not in stock and that Paramus Ford would not be able to meet the 45 day delivery date, making their bid non-responsive; and

WHEREAS, Nielsen Ford indicated that the vehicles were in stock and that delivery would be made within 45 days as required by the bid specifications,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Nielson Ford, having an office located at 170 Ridgedale Avenue, Morristown, New Jersey 07960, is the deemed the lowest responsible bidder; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Fair Lawn that, upon recommendation of the Borough Manager and appropriate Department Head, the bid for the Purchase of Ford Police Vehicles be awarded to Neilson Ford, for the prices appearing on the Bid Summary attached here-to as Exhibit A; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Fair Lawn have allocated funds in the Budget Account 3-01-25-240-100-510 and, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4, a Certificate of Availability of Funds has been completed by the Chief Financial Officer through the issuance of Purchase Order #23-05385 for four(4) police vehicles; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Fair Lawn, authorize the Mayor and Municipal Clerk to execute a contract with Nielson Ford, pursuant to all conditions of the bid specifications and for the prices appearing on the attached Exhibit A as bid by Nielson Ford.

	Motion	Second	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Reinitz		X	Х			
Rottenstrich			Х			
Cutrone			Х			
Krause	X		Х			
Peluso			Х			

The within Resolution was duly adopted by the Borough Council at their meeting of December 19, 2023.

Nicholas J. Magarelli, RMC

Municipal Clerk

EXHIBIT A



8-01 Fair Lawn Avenue, Post Office Box 376, Fair Lawn, New Jersey 07410 201-794-5310 Fax: 201-9859 mruane@fairlawn.org

MAUREEN RUANE INTERIM BOROUGH MANAGER

TO: Nick Magarelli, Borough Clerk

FROM: Maureen Ruane, Interim Borough Manager

DATE: December 19, 2023

RE: Bids received- New/Unused 2023 Ford Police Interceptor Utility Vehicles (K8A) AWD

Award December 19, 2023

I hereby certify that the attached is a true copy of bids received on December 19, 2023:

Recommendation to award to:

Nielsen Ford of Morristown, Inc.
172 Ridgedale Avenue
Morristown, NJ 07960
Bidder indicated that vehicles were currently in stock and would be delivered 30-45 days after award.

Bid Price Vehicle #1 \$ 44,318.00 Bid Price Vehicle #2 \$ 44,318.00 Bid Price Vehicle #3 \$ 44,318.00 Bid Price Vehicle #4 \$ 44,318.00 Total \$177,272.00

Certification of Funds Purchase Order # 23-05385, Budget Account 3-01-25-240-100-510

Total Award for four (4) New/Unused 2023 Ford Police Interceptor Utility Vehicles (K8A) AWD with listed options.

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Bid Results: 2023 Ford Police Utility Vehicles	NIELSEN FORD OF MORRISTOWN, INC.	ALL AMERICAN FORD OF PARAMUS
Bids Received: December 5, 2023	170 Ridgedale Avenue	375 Route 17
delivery within 45 days per specifications	Morristown, NJ 07960	Paramus, NJ 07652
Vehicle #1 (year, Brand, model)	2023 Ford Police Interceptor(Body Code K8A)	2024 Ford Police Interceptor Utility
Vin #	To be provided after receipt of Purchase Order	TBD
Bid Price Vehicle #1	\$44,318.00	\$42,469.00
Vehicle #2 (year, Brand, model)	2023 Ford Police Interceptor(Body Code K8A)	2024 Ford Police Interceptor Utility
Vin #	To be provided after receipt of Purchase Order	TBD
Bid Price Vehicle #2	\$44,318.00	\$42,469.00
Vehicle #3 (year, Brand, model)	2023 Ford Police Interceptor(Body Code K8A)	2024 Ford Police Interceptor Utility
Vin #	To be provided after receipt of Purchase Order	TBD
Bid Price Vehicle #3	\$44,318.00	\$42,469.00
Vehicle #4 (year, Brand, model)	2023 Ford Police Interceptor(Body Code K8A)	2024 Ford Police Interceptor Utility
Vin #	To be provided after receipt of Purchase Order	780
Bid Price Vehicle #4	\$44,318.00	\$42,469.00
Vehicle #5 (year, Brand, model)	2023 Ford Police Interceptor(Body Code K8A)	2024 Ford Police Interceptor Utility
Vin #	To be provided after receipt of Purchase Order	TBD
Bid Price Vehicle #5	\$44,318.00	\$42,469.00
Vehicle #6 (year, Brand, model)	2023 Ford Police Interceptor(Body Code K8A)	2024 Ford Police Interceptor Utility
Vin #	To be provided after receipt of Purchase Order	TBD
Bid Price Vehicle #6	\$44,318.00	\$42,469.00
Vehicle #7 (year, Brand, model)	2023 Ford Police Interceptor(Body Code K8A)	2024 Ford Police Interceptor Utility
Vin#	To be provided after receipt of Purchase Order	180
Bid Price Vehicle #7	\$44,318.00	\$42,469.00
delivery within 45 days per specifications	30-45 days after award -vehicles in stock	60-90 days*dependent upon mfg production schedule-vehicles not in stock