



City Council Report

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To: City Council
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Subject: A Resolution Authorizing Application for and Accepting Two Grants for the Purchase of Two PM-10 Certified Street Sweepers
(Citywide)

Strategic Initiatives



Purpose and Recommendation

The purpose of this report is to request the approval of a Resolution authorizing the submittal of two grant applications for the purchase of two PM-10 certified street sweepers for FY2017, and authorizing the City Manager to execute such documents as may be necessary to accept the grants if awarded. The grants would allow the Transportation Department to purchase two new PM-10 certified sweepers needed to replace two sweepers that have been in service for over eight years and are at the end of their useful life. The grants would come from the Arizona Department of Transportation's (ADOT's) FY2017 Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality (CMAQ) Improvement Program.

Staff recommend that Council approve the Resolution, authorizing Staff to apply for the grant and authorizing the City Manager to execute the final grants acceptance paperwork, if awarded.

Background

The Transportation Department has several sweepers used in the cleaning of the City's transportation system. Two of these sweepers have exceeded their useful life, having 12,000 service hours and over eight years in service with 96,000 miles of cleaning. The new sweepers will replace these two sweepers.

Discussion

Authorizing the submittal of a grant applications will enable the City to compete for federal-aid money to fund 94.3% of the grant-eligible purchase expenses of these PM-10 certified street sweepers.

Fiscal Impact

Under the conditions of ADOT's CMAQ Improvement Program, recipients of the grant are required to provide a 5.7% local match to the federal funds that are awarded. This local match and any needed additional options will be funded with Environmental Compliance Fee in Transportation Department's FY17/18 operations budget.

Coordination

The terms and requirements of these grants have been reviewed by Transportation, Finance, the Grants office, the Office of Management and Budget, and Fleet, who have found them to be acceptable.