



To: President and Members of Town Council
From: Staff of Public Works
Meeting: March 4, 2024
Re: Purchase New Yale Forklift

Background

Munster Public Works was scheduled to purchase a new forklift in 2023 which was scheduled for replacement in line with the Street Division 5-Year Capital Improvement Plan. The purchase did not happen in 2023 and it has been carried over to purchase in 2024.

Methodology

Munster Public Works received a quote from Voss Equipment, Inc. Two existing forklifts; Unit #353 purchased in 1994 and Unit #363 purchased in 2003 will be traded in toward the purchase of the new forklift.

Voss Equipment, Harvey, IL	
Forklift model GP6ON	\$47,000.00
42" Attachment	\$ 2,556.40
Minus Trade in #353 & #363	<u>\$ 3,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$ 46,556.40

Alta Material Handling, Calumet City, IL	
Forklift model H6OA	\$50,925.67
Minus Trade in 353	750.00
Minus Trade in 363	<u>2,800.00</u>
TOTAL	\$47,375.67

A quote was also requested from Altorfer but the vendor did not submit a quote.

Budget Note: Listed in our 2022 Capital Projects List, the forklift will be funded from the 2022 G.O. Bond, 4413-9152122-64440.

Recommendation: By motion and voice vote, approve the purchase of a new Yale GP6ON forklift from Voss Equipment plus 42" attachment for \$49,556.40 and minus the trade-ins of Unit #353 and #363 for \$3,000 for a final price of \$46,556.40.