



To: President and Members of Town Council

From: Staff of Public Works

Meeting: March 3, 2025

Re: Unit 336 Retrofit as Salt Vehicle

Background

Unit 336 was purchased with anti-icing unit installed. Public Works would like to retrofit Unit 336 to be like the other tandem axle dump trucks with a V box salting bin and brine containers. Public Works received a proposal from W.A Jones priced through Sourcewell. Sourcewell takes the complexity out of the solicitation/bidding process by providing procurement services to governmental units through national contracts with vendors procured through a competitive bidding process that secures the lowest competitive pricing complying with Indiana law I.C. 5-22-10-5. The Town of Munster is a Sourcewell member (ID# 28145).

Methodology

The W.A. Jones quote includes replacing the existing tank with a spreader and prewet tank kit for a total price of \$65,092.52.

Budget Note

\$23,695 will come from the 2021 G.O. Bond proceeds and \$41,397.52 will come from 2022 G.O. Bond proceeds.

Recommendation:

By motion and roll call vote approve W.A. Jones quote to retrofit Unit 336 for a total cost of \$65,092.52.