



To: President and Members of Town Council

From: Staff of Public Works

Meeting: March 17, 2025

Re: Z Trak Mower purchase

Background

Public Works received a proposal from Gruel Brothers, Inc 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 Gruel Brothers quotation is for a TRX 7661 66" brush-cut mower with terrain tracks originally priced at \$25,999 minus discount of \$3,899.85 for a total price of \$22,099.15

Budget Note

The funding for the Z Trak Mower will come from the 2022 and 2023 G.O. Bonds.

Recommendation:

By motion and roll call vote approve the purchase of a Z Trak Mower from Gruel Brothers, Inc. in the amount of \$22,099.15.