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**TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT** 

### **STAFF REPORT** Board Meeting Date: April 17, 2018

DATE: February 28, 2018
TO: Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Board of Fire Commissioners
FROM: Charles A. Moore, Fire Chief Phone: (775) 328-6123 Email: cmoore@tmfpd.us
SUBJECT: Approve the purchase of two (2) new type I structure engine from Superior Equipment, 7285 South 700 West, Midvale, Utah in an amount of \$1,244,228.84 using the NPPRGov Fire Rescue GPO program as allowed by NRS 332.195. (All Commission Districts)

# FOR POSSIBLE ACTION SUMMARY

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Strategic Objective supported by this item: Safe, Secure and Healthy Communities

# PREVIOUS ACTION

March 25, 2014, the Board of Fire Commissioners approved an interlocal contract for cooperating purchasing with H-GAC.

August 26, 2014, the Board of Fire Commissioners approved the purchase of one (1) new type I structure engine from Pierce Mfg., Inc., 2600 American Drive, Appleton, Wisconsin 54913 in the amount of \$491,295.00 using the (H-GAC) cooperating purchasing program.

May 16, 2017, The Board of Fire Commissioners approved the FY 17-18 Final Budget as presented to include the purchase of one (1) type I Structure Engine and one (1) Ladder Truck.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District (TMFPD), through approval of the FY17-18 budget, included \$2,000,000 of funds allocated for the purchase of one (1) new type I structure engine and one (1) ladder Truck. After discussion it was recommended that the purchased be changed to the purchase of s two (2) Type I Structure Engines at a total cost of \$1,245,806.76. By purchasing these additional engines, it would be part of a continuation in the development of standardizing the department wide fleet that will be more economic and efficient to maintain, simplify training and enable personnel to operate safer and more effectively throughout the District. The new structure engines will replace a frontline engine at a career station and will allow an older engine to be placed into a reserve status where it will be subject to less mileage and usage.

These engines will be built by Superior Equipment and purchased using the NPPRGov Fire Rescue GPO program. The NPPRGov Fire Rescue GPO program is over 30 years old and specializes in high ticket, capital intensive products that require technical, detailed specifications and extensive professional skills to evaluate bid responses. The NPPRGov Fire Rescue GPO program awards all contracts, which can then be made available to local governments nationwide. Purchasing through the NPPRGov Fire Rescue GPO program the District is able to purchase this engine at a competitive price and save significant time by having the bid process already completed.

# FISCAL IMPACT

There is sufficient funding in the District's Capital Budget as approved in the FY 17/18 Budget.

# **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board approve the purchase of two (2) new type I structure engine from Superior Equipment, 7285 South 700 West, Midvale, Utah in an amount of \$1,244,228.84 using the NPPRGov Fire Rescue GPO program as allowed by NRS 332.195

### **POSSIBLE MOTION**

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion could be:

"Move to approve the purchase of two (2) new type I structure engine from Superior Equipment, 7285 South 700 West, Midvale, Utah in an amount of \$1,244,228.84 using the NPPRGov Fire Rescue GPO program as allowed by NRS 332.195"