



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM

October 27, 2014

To: Brian Kischnick, City Manager

From: MaryBeth Murz, Purchasing Manager
Timothy L. Richnak, Public Works Director
Samuel P. Lamerato, Superintendent of Fleet Maintenance

Subject: Standard Purchasing Resolution 4: State of Michigan – MiDEAL Program –
Fleet Vehicles/Equipment

History

- The Brush Bandit Chipper Model 255XP recommended for purchase is a replacement for the 2002 Brush Bandit Chipper to be auctioned or traded-in.
- This 15” capacity disc style chipper is used by the Department of Public Works and Parks Division to chip brush from storm damage, city right away tree trimming, park maintenance and brush from ditches.

Purchasing

- Bandit Industries, Inc. – Is one of the awarded low bidders from the State of Michigan – MiDEAL Program – Contract #071B3200141.
- Bandit Industries, Inc has offered a trade-in allowance of \$7,000 for the 2002 Bandit chipper.
- On February 10, 2014 City Council authorized departments to utilize sites such as GovDeal.com to dispose of City owned surplus items. {Resolution #2014-02-017-J-4a} Therefore, note that the City may benefit from marketing the chipper on the GovDeals.com site for optimal trade-in value.

Financial

Funds are available in the Public Works Fleet Division capital account 661.549.565.7981. Budgeted amount for this purchase is \$55,000.00.

Recommendation

City management requests authorization to purchase one (1) 2014 Brush Bandit Chipper Model 255XP for the Public Works Department and Parks division from Bandit Industries, Inc., of Remus, MI, through the State of Michigan MiDEAL Program Contract #071B3200141 for an estimated total cost of \$40,126.00; less trade-in for the 2002 Bandit Chipper for \$7,000.00 or better at the time of delivery of the new unit.

