

CITY OF WASHINGTON, ILLINOIS Public Safety Committee Agenda Communication

Meeting Date:

March 8, 2021

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Agenda Item:

Enterprise Leasing

Explanation:

The ability to lease police vehicles

Fiscal Impact:

Projected City-wide savings of \$800,000.00 over a ten year period

Action Requested: We are looking for Committee support for the City of Washington to enter into a lease agreement with Enterprise Leasing for the leasing of police units.

After several presentations by Enterprise Leasing we believe that having the ability to replace police units every three (3) years under the proposed program would be a huge benefit for the Washington Police Department.

Enterprise determines what vehicles should be sold, during what time period, maximizing the sale price thus allowing the City of Washington to obtain the best possible return on our lease investment. Enterprise does all the paperwork for the agreement and all sales work. Enterprise pricing for the purchase is done thru Sourcewell Cooperative Buying to ensure the best possible price.

This program would allow the Washington Police Department to replace six (6) vehicles each year. First year purchases would be 3 Ford Explorers, 1 Ford Quad Cab Truck, I Dodge Durango and 1 Tahoe. Next year Enterprise would evaluate all of the other twelve (12) units to determine which ones should be traded.