



CITY OF WASHINGTON, ILLINOIS City Council Agenda Communication

Meeting Date: 06-21-2021

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Agenda Item: Cold Planer Purchase Consideration

Explanation: This year's street department budget allows for the purchase of a cold planer, also known as a milling head. The planer is used to mill the asphalt or concrete off the road, and any time there will be a transition from old asphalt to the new asphalt. It will also be used to mill the road where water leaks have occurred rather than using the backhoe. JULIE locates will no longer be necessary for these repairs and crews will no longer have the need to rent a planer whenever asphalt work is done. Because of these reasons, staff sought quotes for purchase of this equipment. The results of these efforts are shown below.

Quick Attach	\$24,372.50
Altorfer	\$30,199.00
Central Illinois Equipment	\$42,245.77

Fiscal Impact: \$40,000 has been budgeted in account #502-000-800-1500

Recommendation/

Committee Discussion Summary: Staff recommends purchase of the cold planer milling head from Quick Attach. The City purchased a brush cutter from Quick Attach for the skid steer a few years ago and it has performed well for us. They provided the lowest quote at that time as well.

Action Requested: Approval to purchase of the cold planer, milling attachment, in an amount not to exceed \$30,198.00 from Quick Attach of Alexandria Minnesota to cover any unforeseen costs.