

RESOLUTION NO. 46-2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH STEELE FIRE APPARATUS, LLC FOR THE PURCHASE OF A CUSTOM-BUILT BRUSH-WILDLAND FIREFIGHTING VEHICLE.

WHEREAS, the Fire Apparatus Replacement Plan includes Abilene Fire Department fleet replacements through the year 2052; and

WHEREAS, the addition of Fire Station 9 will require the purchase of one (1) brush-wildland firefighting vehicle; and

WHEREAS, this purchase is for one (1) custom built brush-wildland firefighting vehicle, not including additional equipment and tools; and

WHEREAS, the purchase will be made through Houston Freightliner, with a total price for this purchase is \$337,500.00; and

WHEREAS, the purchase will be made using HGAC, and this option confirms best pricing; and

WHEREAS, funding for this vehicle is available through the Fire Apparatus Replacement Fund.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

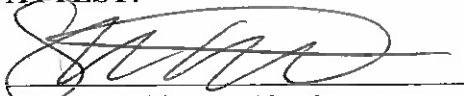
Part 1: That the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a contract with Steele Fire Apparatus, LLC for the purchase of one (1) brush-wildland firefighting vehicle.

Part 2: That this purchase is necessary to protect the public health and safety of City residents, and is not required to be competitively bid pursuant to Local Government Code Section 252.022(a) (2).

Part 3: This Resolution shall take effect immediately from and after passage.

ADOPTED and approved by the City Council on the 22nd of February, 2024.

ATTEST:


Shawna Atkinson, City Secretary


Weldon Hurt, Mayor

APPROVED:


Stanley Smith, City Attorney