

EAST PEORIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

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John Knapp
Fire Chief

TO: The Honorable Mayor and the City Council

THRU: Commissioner Mingus

FROM: Fire Chief John Knapp

DATE: January 27, 2021

SUBJECT: Purchase of a used ambulance and the sale of a current reserve ambulance

DISCUSSION: Please consider the purchase of a 2007 Ford F350 Diesel, MedTech conversion, from the Washington Fire Department. The unit has been inspected and is in excellent condition with 77,067 miles and is available for \$10,000. In addition, please consider the sale of one of our current reserve ambulances, Paramedic 2, a 2000 Freightliner MedTech with 183,000 miles and 17,300 hours. We estimate the sale price on that unit at \$4,000. By replacing the 2000 Freightliner with the 2007 Ford, we anticipate that the service life of this reserve ambulance will be increased significantly for a minimal cost.

RECOMMENDATION: It is my recommendation that the you approve the purchase of the 2007 Ford F-350 and authorize the sale of the 2000 Freightliner. I have attached the 2007 Ford Information for your review.

cc: City Clerk Morgan Cadwalader
Director of Finance Jeff Becker

ORDINANCE NO. 4548

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY
IN THE POSSESSION OF THE EAST PEORIA FIRE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, the City's Fire Department is in possession of a used 2000 Freightliner MedTech Ambulance (VIN: 1FV3EJBC0YH989298) (the "Reserve Ambulance"); and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has determined that the Reserve Ambulance is no longer useful for City operations by either the Fire Department or any other City departments, and is therefore surplus City property; and

WHEREAS, retaining the Reserve Ambulance is not necessary or useful to or in the best interests of the City;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, TAZEWELL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THAT:

Section 1. The Fire Chief in consultation with the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to sell the Reserve Ambulance under such terms and conditions as he deems appropriate with or without advertising the sale.

Section 2. This Ordinance is hereby ordered to be published in pamphlet form by the East Peoria City Clerk and said Clerk is ordered to keep at least three (3) copies hereof available for public inspection in the future and in accordance with the Illinois Municipal Code.

Section 3. This Ordinance is in addition to all other ordinances on the subject and shall be construed therewith excepting as to that part in direct conflict with any other ordinance, and in the event of such conflict, the provisions hereof shall govern.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and ten (10) day period of publication in the manner provided by law.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, TAZEWELL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, IN REGULAR AND PUBLIC SESSION THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2021.

APPROVED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

EXAMINED AND APPROVED:

Corporation Counsel