

TOWN OF PALM BEACH

Information for Town Council Meeting on: December 10, 2024

TO: Mayor and Town Council

VIA: Kirk W. Blouin, Town Manager

VIA: Robert Miracle, CPA Deputy Town Manager, Finance and Administration

FROM: Dean Mealy, II NIGP-CPP, CPPO Town Procurement and Contract Manager

RE: Resolution approving the purchase of sixteen vehicles for the Police Department from Garber Fleet Services in the amount of \$733,254.25, approving a contingency in the amount \$35,856 for a total award in the amount of \$769,110

DATE: November 27, 2024

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Town Council approve Resolution No. 176-2024, approving the purchase of sixteen vehicles for the Police Department from Garber Fleet Services in the amount of \$733,254.25, approving a contingency in the amount \$35,856 for a total award in the amount of \$769,110.

SUMMARY EXPLANATION/BACKGROUND

During the budget preparation for FY25, the Police Department requested and were approved for sixteen vehicles, eleven which are replacement and five which will be an addition to the fleet.

The new vehicles are required to accommodate new staffing for parking and police staffing to support the community need for increased enforcement and response.

The replacement units will support operations as follows:

- 2 Ford Police Interceptors – Police Patrol
- 1 Administrative Ford Explorer – Police Patrol
- 1 Chevrolet Tahoe Police Pursuit Vehicle (PPV) – Police Patrol
- 1 Chevrolet Silverado Police Pursuit Vehicle (PPV) – Police Patrol
- 2 Ford Bronco Sports – Code Enforcement
- 4 Ford Bronco Sports – Parking Enforcement

The new units will support operations as follows:

- 3 Ford Police Interceptors – Police Patrol
- 2 Ford Bronco Sports – Parking Enforcement

Vehicle quotes were from the Florida Sheriff's Association Contract (FSA) utilized by the state agencies, counties and municipalities. The FSA provides best pricing options and delivery timelines.

FUNDING/FISCAL IMPACT

Funding for the replacement units will be from the Equipment Replacement Fund. New vehicles will be funded from the General Fund.

TOWN ATTORNEY REVIEW

This format has been utilized by the Town in previous recommendations and was approved by the Town Attorney.