

**VILLAGE OF KENILWORTH**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-21  
AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF TWO 2020 FORD POLICE  
INTERCEPTOR SUV'S**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Kenilworth desires to purchase two replacement police patrol vehicle as part of the vehicle replacement schedule for the Kenilworth Police Department; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village included funds in the budget for Fiscal Year 2019 for the replacement of an existing police vehicle; and

**WHEREAS**, the Suburban Purchasing Cooperative annually solicits bids for certain items which any unit of government who is a member of the Northwest Municipal Conference may purchase based on these bid prices; and

**WHEREAS**, the Suburban Purchasing Cooperative bid process returned a low bid of \$35,793 for the gas model 2020 Ford Police Interceptor SUV and \$41,073 for the hybrid model 2020 Ford Police Interceptor SUV; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village's Purchasing Policy and Procedures Manual, Section 7.1 provides that purchasing through the Suburban Purchasing Cooperative satisfies the competitive bidding requirement for purchases in excess of \$20,000; and

**WHEREAS**, Village staff has secured a quote of a gas engine and a hybrid 2020 Ford Police Interceptor SUV through Highland Park Ford in the amount of \$35,612 and \$41,050 respectively for the identically equipped vehicle; and

**WHEREAS**, Highland Park Ford is a local dealership with a high level of customer service and is more closely located to the Village than the other participating Ford dealers; and

**WHEREAS**, the vehicle purchase price offered by Highland Park Ford is lower than the lowest bid price; and

**WHEREAS**, it is recommended that the Board of Trustees waive the formal bid requirement established in the Village Purchasing Manual; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees hereby finds it to be in the best interests of the Village and the public to purchase of a gas engine and a hybrid 2020 Ford Police Interceptor SUV through Highland Park Ford in the amount of \$35,612 and \$41,050 respectively.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Kenilworth, Cook County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1. Recitals. The foregoing recitals are incorporated in and made a part of this Resolution by this reference.

Section 2. Waiver of Local Bid Requirements. The formal bidding process outlined in the Village Purchasing Manual is hereby waived.

Section 3. Execution. The Village Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute the documents necessary to purchase the two 2020 Ford Police Interceptor SUV's from Highland Park Ford, Highland Park, IL.

Passed this 16<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019.

AYES: Bedwell, Kaz, Lien, Shadek, Ransford, Winslow

NAYS:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:



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Village President

Attest:

  
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Village Clerk, DEPUTY