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Board of Fire Commissioners  
Mr. Bruce Lemois, Chairman  
Re: sale of vehicles

## FC-R-2016-10

March 22, 2016

Dear Commissioners;

I am reporting the listing of the following vehicles for sale to the highest bidder at auction through the municibid.gov website:

1. 2003 Ford Expedition- this vehicle needs the following repairs- lower radiator support bracket, all brake lines have excessive rust and will need to be replaced from the ABS module to each wheel, the fuel evaporator recovery system (Ford item only), rot on rear wheel fenders, estimated repair cost - \$2,200, vehicle mileage 119,340 minimum bid asking price \$1,500.
2. 2003 Ford F-550 brush fire truck- this is the first model of the 6.0 diesel engine that is famed for its failure. There is currently a deep seated noise in the engine, both front fenders are rotted, it is in need of four tires and front end shocks and sway bar links need replacing. The approximate cost to repair would be in excess of \$4,500, and the vehicle has not been used as a brush fire truck in the last two years. Mileage is 72,523 and the minimum bid would be \$10,000.
3. 1988 Ford F 250 Brush truck. This vehicle is redundant to the Brush 43 unit, without the snowplow. The current state of the vehicle is fair condition, with the transmission slipping under pressure, the engine is of sound running condition and the body could be removed and held for future use, either on utility 1 or another sale of just the body. Mileage is 46,113 minimum bid would be \$2,000 with body \$1,500 without the body.

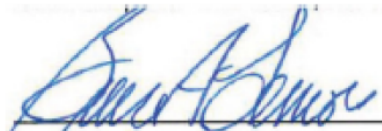
Respectfully,

Commissioner Champagne moved to amend this to a resolution, resolution #2016-10 to support the Chief's request to sell these trucks.

Commissioner Matta Second

Passed 7-0

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Deborah Auclair, Clerk