

DATE: November 13, 2007  
TO: Mayor and City Council Members  
FROM: Police Department  
SUBJECT: **RESOLUTION NO. 8172 - A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A PURCHASE AGREEMENT WITH FOLSOM LAKE DODGE FOR THE PURCHASE OF FIVE (5) 2008 DODGE CHARGER V-8 POLICE PACKAGE VEHICLES**

**BACKGROUND / ISSUE**

In accordance with the adoption of the City of Folsom FY 2007-08 budget, the Folsom Police Department was authorized to purchase five (5) 2008 Dodge Charger V-8 Police Package Vehicles. The five vehicles are replacements for marked patrol vehicles which have reached or exceeded their useful service life.

**POLICY / RULE**

In accordance with Chapter 2.36 of the Folsom Municipal Code, contracts costing \$41,750 or greater shall be awarded by the City Council to the lowest responsible bidder. Resolution 3463 additionally provides for a 5% local vendor preference when determining lowest qualified bid.

**ANALYSIS**

This project was publicly advertised and set for review of the sealed bids on October 29, 2007. The City Clerk's Office received two (2) sealed bids, which were unsealed and publicly announced in the Folsom City Council Chambers at 3:00 pm on October 29 2007. The bids were identified as follows:

Folsom Lake Dodge	Folsom, CA	\$ 141,435.45
Autowest Fleet	Roseville, CA	\$ 144,543.40

In addition to being the lowest bidder, the City anticipates geographical convenience and other positive benefits which support award of the contract to Folsom Lake Dodge. The Police Department reviewed the Folsom Lake Dodge bid, found it to be responsive, and requests that the contract be awarded to Folsom Lake Dodge because the contract was publicly advertised, the bid was comparable to the Police Department's estimate of \$136,500 and it was the lowest bidder.

Staff will use an agreement in a form acceptable to the City Attorney.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

Funds in the amount of \$ 136,500 were approved for the purchase of police vehicles and equipment in the FY 2007-08 budget in the General Fund. With expected savings on up-fitting the vehicles with required additional emergency equipment, sufficient existing funds are available to meet the lowest bid of \$141,435.45

**ATTACHMENT**

Resolution No. 8172 - A Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Execute a Purchase Agreement with Folsom Lake Dodge for the Purchase of Five (5) 2008 Dodge Charger V-8 Police Package Vehicles.

**RECOMMENDATION / CITY COUNCIL ACTION**

The Police Department recommends that the City Council adopt Resolution No. 8172 - A Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Execute a Purchase Agreement with Folsom Lake Dodge for the Purchase of Five (5) 2008 Dodge Charger V-8 Police Package Vehicles

Submitted,



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Sam L. Spiegel, CHIEF OF POLICE

**RESOLUTION NO. 8172**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A PURCHASE AGREEMENT WITH FOLSOM LAKE DODGE FOR THE PURCHASE OF FIVE (5) DODGE CHARGER V-8 POLICE PACKAGE VEHICLES.**

**WHEREAS**, the City has elected to purchase five (5) Dodge Charger V-8 Police Package vehicles for the Folsom Police Department; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City appropriated sufficient funds in the Fiscal Year 2007-08 budget for the purchase of these vehicles; and,

**WHEREAS**, this project was publicly advertised, and bids were received on October 29, 2007; and,

**WHEREAS**, Folsom Lake Dodge submitted the lowest responsive bid; and,

**WHEREAS**, the agreement will be in a form acceptable to the City Attorney:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Folsom hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute a purchase agreement with Folsom Lake Dodge, for the purchase of Five (5) 2008 Dodge Charger V-8 Police Package vehicles for the Folsom Police Department, in the amount of \$ 141,435.45.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 13th day of November 2007, by the following roll call vote:

**AYES:** Council Members(s)

**NOES:** Council Members(s)

**ABSENT:** Council Members(s)

**ABSTAIN:** Council Members(s)

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Andrew J. Morin, MAYOR

**ATTEST:**

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Christa Schmidt, CITY CLERK