

RESOLUTION NO. 2021 - 411

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF TWO (2) NEW 2022 RAM 5500 CHASSIS CAB (DP0L64) TRADESMAN 4X4 REG CAB FROM NATIONAL AUTO FLEET GROUP, WATSONVILLE, CA, IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$251,624.16, PURSUANT TO A NATIONAL COOPERATIVE CONTRACT AGREEMENT WITH SOURCEWELL.

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland desires to purchase Two (2) New 2022 RAM 5500 Chassis Cab (DP0L64) Tradesman 4X4 Reg Cab; and;

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland is a member of a National Cooperative Purchasing Program known as Sourcewell; and,

WHEREAS, Sourcewell, the National Cooperative Purchasing Program has acted as lead agency and awarded Contract #12016-NAF; and,

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2 permits the City of Vineland to purchase Two (2) New 2022 RAM 5500 Chassis Cab (DP0L64) Tradesman 4X4 Reg Cab using the offered National Cooperative Contract without public bidding, subject to the submittal and acceptance of certain documentation by National Auto Fleet Group, Watsonville, CA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland intends under Soucewell, under the Category: Vehicles, Cars, Vans, SUVs, and Light Trucks with Related Services, Accessories and Services - Contract #12016-NAF, to purchase from National Auto Fleet Group, Watsonville, CA, Two (2) New 2022 RAM 5500 Chassis Cab (DP0L64) Tradesman 4X4 Reg Cab, in an amount not to exceed \$251,624.16 as listed in Quote ID#17646, dated August 5, 2021, made available through the Sourcewell.

WHEREAS the Director of Public Works and the Qualified Purchasing Agent, with the concurrence of the Business Administrator, recommend the use of the National Cooperative Pricing through Sourcewell for this procurement;

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland Purchasing Agent has determined that the use of the offered National Cooperative Contract will result in cost savings after all factors, including charges for service, material and delivery have been considered and has verified that such vehicles are not available through State Contract awarded by the Division of Purchase and Property in the New Jersey Department of the Treasury pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12; and

WHEREAS, the availability of funds for said purchase to be awarded herein have been certified by the Chief Financial Officer; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland has certified that this meets the statute and regulations governing the award of said contracts;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VINELAND, that the Purchasing Agent is authorized to prepare a purchase order to procure Two (2) New 2022 RAM 5500 Chassis Cab (DP0L64) Tradesman 4X4 Reg Cab, for a price not to exceed \$251,624.16.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the purchase order shall contain a requirement that “the vendor shall maintain all documentation related to products, transactions or services under this contract for a period of five years from the date of final payment. Such records shall be made available to the New Jersey Office of the State Comptroller upon request”.

Adopted:

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President of Council

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

# CITY OF VINELAND

August 24, 2021

## CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

We, the undersigned officials of the City of Vineland, do hereby certify, to the best of our knowledge and belief that there now exists adequate funds to award a contract to National Auto Fleet Group, Watsonville, CA, to purchase Two (2) New 2022 RAM 5500 Chassis Cab (DP0L64) Tradesman 4X4 Reg Cab, in an amount not to exceed \$251,624.16, pursuant to a National Cooperative Contract Agreement with Sourcewell under the Category: Vehicles, Cars, Vans, SUVs, and Light Trucks with Related Services, Accessories and Services - Contract #12016-NAF. Such funds are for said contract are available in the C.Y. 2021 Budget of the City of Vineland Electric Utility.

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Susan Baldosaro  
Chief Financial Officer

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Senior Accountant

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John Lillie  
Director of Municipal Utilities

Account No(s): 1-05-55-512-9006-5200, E392

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Encumber

Supplement