

Resolution



City Council
City of Wilmington
North Carolina

Introduced By: Rebecca L. Hawke, City Manager

Date: 3/24/2026

Resolution Authorizing the City Manager to Purchase Twenty-Five Pursuit-Rated Tahoes from Capital Chevrolet, Inc., of Raleigh, NC in the Amount of \$1,325,175 from the Fleet Replacement Fund

LEGISLATIVE INTENT/PURPOSE:

WHEREAS, with the adoption of the FY26 Fleet Replacement Budget, City Council authorized the purchase and replacement of twenty-five (25) pursuit-rated Tahoes; and,

WHEREAS, the vehicles to be replaced meet the age, maintenance cost, mileage or a combination of the three criteria for vehicle replacement; and,

WHEREAS, N.C.G.S. §143-129(e)(9) provides an exception to the procedures for letting public contracts for purchases made through a contract established by the State of North Carolina or a state agency if the contractor is willing to extend the same or more favorable prices, terms, and conditions; and,

WHEREAS, The North Carolina State Contract was awarded to Capital Chevrolet, Inc., of Raleigh, North Carolina, which has extended the same prices and terms to the City of Wilmington for the total cost of \$1,325,175.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

THAT, the procurement of the requested equipment is authorized and appropriate pursuant to N.C.G.S. §143-129(e)(9).

THAT, the City Manager is hereby authorized to purchase, and to execute any agreements required to do so, twenty-five (25) pursuit-rated Tahoes for the WPD from Capital Chevrolet, Inc., of Raleigh, NC, in the Amount of \$1,325,175 from the Fleet Replacement Fund.

Adopted at a _____ meeting On
_____ 2026

Bill Saffo, Mayor

Attest:

Penelope Spicer-Sidbury, City Clerk