



City of Boynton Beach Agenda Item Request Form

Meeting Date: 05/20/2025

Proposed Resolution No. R25-126- Approve the issuance of a Purchase Order to Tiresoles of Broward, Inc., d/b/a Elpex Tire, an authorized vendor of The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, for the purchase of recap/retread tires for the City's Fleet for five years with an annual expenditure of \$90,000.

Requested Action: Staff recommends approval of Proposed Resolution No. R25-126.

Explanation of Request: Contract Expires June 30, 2027, and has three (3) one (1) year renewal options.

The State of Florida is a participating state in the NASPO ValuePoint Cooperative Purchasing Program for tires. The City intends to utilize this contract to purchase recap/retread 11R22.5 tires for the City's Fleet. A recap/retread tire is made by placing a new tread on an existing casing. Once a new tire has been used and needs replacing, instead of replacing it with a new tire, a recap/retread tire can be used. Recaps can only be used on non-steer tires. A tire can be recapped up to three or four times, depending on the casing. These tires will be stocked at the City's Warehouse.

This purchase would be procured under the Piggyback exemption of the procurement code. Piggyback contracts significantly benefit the City of Boynton Beach by providing a cost-effective and efficient way to procure goods and services. By leveraging agreements already in place with other governmental entities, the City can avoid the time-consuming and expensive process of issuing its own competitive bids. This allows quicker access to needed resources while often securing more favorable pricing due to the economies of scale achieved through larger contracts. Additionally, piggybacking ensures the City can tap into pre-vetted vendors who have already been thoroughly evaluated, reducing administrative burdens and risks associated with vendor selection. Ultimately, piggyback contracts streamline procurement, save taxpayer money, and improve the efficiency of City operations.

This eliminates waste, as a used tire can be recapped and not replaced with a new tire. The cost of a new tire is \$538.71, compared to a recap tire at \$204.99. Previously, the City utilized PRIDE for its recapping needs. However, PRIDE has gone out of business. The City proposes utilizing a NASPO contract with the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, through its authorized vendor, Tiresoles of Broward, Inc. d/b/a Elpex Tire.

How will this affect city programs or services? This will enable the purchase of recap/retread tires for the City's Fleet at a significant cost savings.

Budgeted Item: Yes

Account Line Item and Description: 502-0000-141-0100 Inventory Account

Fiscal Impact: This is a budgeted item.

Attachments:

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[Goodyear Contract 2024.pdf](#)

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