



Cherokee County, Georgia
Agenda Request

Item # 12.5

SUBJECT:

Extrication Equipment Purchase for Fire & Emergency Services.

MEETING DATE:

September 17, 2024

SUBMITTED BY:

Amanda Postelle

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Consider request from Fire & Emergency Services for approval to purchase one demo set of Holmatro battery-powered extrication tools in the amount of \$32,000.00.

FACTS AND ISSUES:

Fire & Emergency Services has standardized on Holmatro extrication tools. Fire purchased its first set of battery-powered tools in July of 2022 and the newer technology has proven to be highly effective due to the speed of deployment being much faster than the older hydraulic equipment. Fire wishes to purchase a demo set of Holmatro battery-powered tools to replace an older set of hydraulic tools. The battery powered tools will be placed in areas within the County that have a high probability of running severe motor vehicle accidents (SR 20/Knox Bridge Highway, for example).

The cost for the demo set is \$32,000.00. If purchased new, the cost would be \$42,055.00.

This item is included in the Fire Department's FY24 budget.

ACCOUNT NAME:

Fire Ops - Other Equipment

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

23520000-542500

ATTACHMENTS:

[Holmatro Equipment Quote - New.pdf](#)

[Quote # 09112024-01PG.pdf](#)