

SUBJECT:
Equipment Purchase for Public Works.

MEETING DATE:
August 5, 2025

SUBMITTED BY:
Brian Davis

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Consider request from Public Works for the purchase of a Midland Road Widener attachment Model SA from Reynolds-Warren Equipment Company, Inc. in the total amount of \$117,325.50.

FACTS AND ISSUES:

Public Works is requesting approval to purchase a new Midland Road Widener attachment Model SA for use in asphalt and aggregate placement, curb backfilling, and road shoulder construction. This procurement will be made through the Statewide Contract with Reynolds-Warren Equipment Company, Inc., the authorized dealer for both Midland and Road Widener brand equipment.

The department currently utilizes two outdated machines for road widening operations:

- A 1996 Midland road widener attachment, which mounts to a wheel loader and allows material placement along the shoulder.
- A 2002 Blaw-Knox RW-100, self-propelled road widener used for similar purposes.

Both units are beyond repair due to age and a lack of available replacement parts. Efforts to maintain them have been exhausted.

Staff evaluated replacement options and determined that a Midland SA attachment offers the best value and functionality. This model can mount on Public Works' existing large wheel loader or motor grader and is capable of accepting material directly from a tandem dump truck. It will effectively replace the functions of both legacy machines.

ACCOUNT NAME:

SPLOST '24 / MACHINERY / ADMIN/PUBLIC
WORKS

ACCOUNT NUMBER:

34220000-542100-80013

ATTACHMENTS:

[REYNOLDS-WARREN EQUIPMENT CO INC Contract.pdf](#)
[Supplier Information sheet Reynolds 2026.pdf](#)
[Terms and Conditions Page.pdf](#)
[Cherokee County - Midland SA - Reynolds Warren.pdf](#)