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### **GLYNN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM REPORT**

**DATE:** September 19, 2024

**SPONSOR:** S. Ebner

**ITEM TYPE:** Purchase

**AGENDA SECTION:** CONSENT AGENDA - Finance Committee

**AGENDA LANGUAGE:** Authorize the issuance of a purchase order to Lenco Armored Vehicles for \$324,940 to purchase an Armored Rescue Vehicle utilizing a sole source procurement exemption receiving pricing based off of a GSA contract, and amend the FY25 Police Seizure Fund Budget to increase revenues and expenditures in the amount of \$264,940 utilizing undesignated fund balance and transferring \$60,000 from the approved FY25 other small equipment budget to vehicles to cover the cost of the vehicle. (S. Ebner) (FC 3-0)

**BACKGROUND:** The Police Department is seeking approval for a capital budget amendment to issue a purchase order to Lenco Armored Vehicles GSA Contract (GS-07F-169DA) price of \$324,940 to purchase an Armored Rescue Vehicle and authorize using a single source procurement exemption with funding to be provided by the Police Seizure and Forfeiture Funds.

The Glynn County Police Department (GCPD) does not currently possess an armored rescue vehicle to respond to high-risk events. The GCPD Special Response Team (SRT) has a transport vehicle without ballistic protection. It has required the assistance of outside agencies to provide an armored vehicle with ballistic protection on multiple occasions. An armored rescue vehicle is essential for the safety of officers and emergency response personnel, to help during de-escalation and negotiations by allowing closer and more effective

contact and communication between negotiators and subjects, and to provide life-saving rescue intervention in high-risk situations to those in need. In addition to the uses mentioned above, GCPD would use an armored rescue vehicle to respond to emergencies during hurricanes when the weather conditions are too dangerous for police or fire vehicles to traverse. An armored rescue vehicle is capable of withstanding hurricane-force winds. It can push or pull debris out of roadways, which would allow police and fire to respond to emergencies during situations when we usually wouldn't be able to answer.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

[103714 GLLGA Glynn Co PD GA.pdf](#)

[Lenco - Sole Source Specifications 06.21.2024.pdf](#)

[Lenco - Sole Source Letter 06.21.2024.pdf](#)