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NARRAGANSETT TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: January 16, 2024

FROM: Scott Partington, Fire Chief

DEPARTMENT: Fire Department

SUBJECT:

A MOTION TO APPROVE the purchase of four (4) sets of Makita power tools for the Fire Department from MES Shipman's Fire Equipment Co., pursuant to Sourcewell contract pricing, in the total amount of \$12,102.00.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

This purchase is for four (4) sets of Makita battery-operated power tools that will be in service on all three (3) engines and the ladder truck. Each set includes: a Hammer drill, circular saw, grinder blade, and chainsaw. This is part of the Fire Department's continued plan to further transition to a battery-operated platform of rescue and extrication tools and streamline existing inventory. The shipping and handling charges are inclusive of all items listed.

The attached quotation is provided pursuant to the Sourcewell Pricing Contract #032620-MES. The items are discounted 2% through this agreement. Funding is entirely supported through Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the Department of Homeland Security Assistance to Firefighter Grant (AFG) FY2022 award.

FUNDING SOURCE:

Grant funding is available from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), and the Department of Homeland Security. Funding is available in the Fire Department Grant Program Account #0827 50252, Grant Expenses.

ATTACHMENTS:

[Sourcewell contract.pdf](#)

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