

## CITY OF WASILLA

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### COUNCIL MEMORANDUM NO. 91-78

FROM: Deputy Administrator

DATE: October 29, 1991

RE: Vehicle Replacement Program

During the FY92 budget process Council requested to be informed of the progress toward the City vehicle replacement program. Additionally, some members of Council objected to the City acquiring a vehicle that would primarily be used for administrative purposes such as document transportation, office supplies, parts and material trips to Anchorage and employee travel to meetings and conferences.

The Administration plans to continue the fleet replacement program by advertising for bids on a 3/4 ton utility bed pickup that will be primarily used for water system work. The 1982 Ford 1/2-ton pickup will be surplused. The bid specifications are written so that Ford, Chevrolet and Dodge vehicles can meet the requirements.

The recommendation for bid award will be presented to Council upon receipt and compilation of the bids.

Robert E. Harris

Deputy Administrator

Do objection to

#### BID REQUESTS VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS

Year Model: New 1992

Model Type: 3/4 ton 4x4 Pick up cab and chassis

for 8' bed, 4-wheel drive, single

rear wheels minimum GVWR 8500 #.

Engine: Gasoline, minimum 4.9 liter

Transmission: Automatic heavy duty

Batteries: Heavy duty for cold weather use;

800 CCA (Minimum)

Suspension: Heavy Duty

Rear springs - 6000 lbs. (minimum) Front springs - 4000 lbs. (minimum)

Alternator: Heavy duty; minimum 75 amperes rating

Tires: Lt 235/85R x 16 with matching spare,

minimum load Range E

Interior Heater: Heavy duty for sub-zero use

Cold Climate Package: Include engine block heater.

Seat: Bench style, not cloth

Exterior Trim: Standard

Floor Mats: Standard (not carpet)

Interior Package: Standard convenience group

Color - Exterior: Medium silver or metallic gray

Color - Interior: Gray

Radio: Standard

Bumpers: Front - Standard

Rear - None

Radiator: Heavy duty

Gauges: Oil pressure, volt meter,

temperature, fuel

Mirrors: Outside left and right side low

mount, swing away.

Rust Proofing: Undercoating

Other items required: Power brakes, power steering, intermittent wipers, manual locking

front hubs. Positive traction

rear-end.

Delivery: Prior to January 1, 1992



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# BID REQUEST SERVICE BODY

- 1. Provide and install service body  $\underline{\text{KNAP Heide}}$  Model 796 B or equivalent.
- 2. Provide and install rear step bumper with grip strut surface.
- 3. Provide and install ball type trailer hitch on bumper.
- 4. Flooring of bed to be continuous and not broken by wheel wells from front to back and side to side.

Vehicle will be a 1992 3/4 ton, 4 wheel drive single wheels on rear.