

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-168

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE DISPENSING WITH THE FORMAL BIDDING REQUIREMENTS PER ELK GROVE MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 3.42.180(B)(3) AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH ELK GROVE AUTO GROUP, INC., A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION, FOR THE PURCHASE OF SIX ADDITIONAL LIGHT-DUTY PICKUP TRUCKS FOR PUBLIC WORKS OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE DIVISION AND ONE REPLACEMENT TRUCK FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED \$158,500

WHEREAS, the City of Elk Grove's maintains all City vehicles and procures additional vehicles when necessary; and

WHEREAS, in February 2019, Council directed Public Works to begin transitioning operation and maintenance contractor positions to City staff positions; and

WHEREAS, nine additional trucks were identified as needed for the new City staff positions , three trucks were purchased in Fiscal Year 2018-19 due to the lead time for vehicle delivery and equipping; and

WHEREAS, as part of Fleet Services' vehicle replacement program, staff has identified one truck, vehicle 118 with 110,284 miles used by the Police Department's Volunteers in Police Service that has reached the end of its useful life and was funded for replacement as part of the Fleet Services Fiscal Year 2019-20 budget; and

WHEREAS, the State of California opened a competitive bidding process for the purchase of light duty pickup trucks; and

WHEREAS, Elk Grove Auto Group, Inc., a California Corporation (Lasher Dodge) was selected by the State for light duty pickup trucks because it met the specifications issued by the State by submitting the lowest bid and was issued Contract #1-18-23-20B; and

WHEREAS, the State of California large quantity contract award was competitively bid, thus the City is receiving a competitive price; the expenditures of staff time and money to compile the necessary bid documents for a small quantity of vehicles will not likely result in a better price or an outcome more advantageous to the City; and Elk Grove Auto Group, Inc. is located within the city of Elk Grove and therefore one percent of every taxable sale will return to the City; and

WHEREAS, for the reasons presented, it is not in the best of interest of the City to conduct formal bidding for the purchase of the subject vehicles; and

WHEREAS, The Operations & Maintenance Division has sufficient funding identified in their Fiscal Year 2019-20 operating budget for the purchase of six vehicles.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby determines that formal competitive bidding is not in the best interest of the City for the subject vehicles and hereby dispenses with the formal bid requirements pursuant to the Elk Grove Municipal Code Section 3.42.180(B)(3) for a contract for the purchase of the subject vehicles; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a contract with Elk Grove Auto Group, Inc., a California Corporation for the purchase of seven RAM 1500 Classic Tradesman Quad Cab trucks in an amount not-to-exceed \$158,500. including installation.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove this 28th day of August 2019



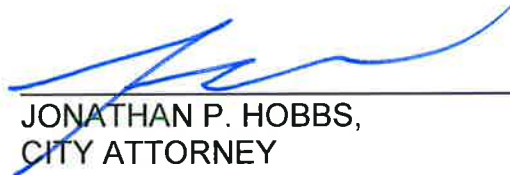
STEVE LY, MAYOR of the
CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:



JASON LINDGREN, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



JONATHAN P. HOBBS,
CITY ATTORNEY

**CERTIFICATION
ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2019-168**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO) ss
CITY OF ELK GROVE)

I, Jason Lindgren, City Clerk of the City of Elk Grove, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove at a regular meeting of said Council held on August 28, 2019 by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: Ly, Hume, Detrick, Nguyen, Suen

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: None



**Jason Lindgren, City Clerk
City of Elk Grove, California**

