

RESOLUTION NO. 25-181

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE EMERGENCY REPAIRS TO FIRE DEPARTMENT LADDER TRUCK #63 FOR THE CITY OF SPRING HILL, TENNESSEE

WHEREAS, the City of Spring Hill Fire Department has reported a failure of the pump on Ladder Truck #63, which is a critical piece of emergency response equipment; and

WHEREAS, this pump failure constitutes an urgent and immediate need for repair to ensure continued public safety and the department's ability to respond to emergencies effectively; and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost for replacement or rebuilding of the failed pump is between \$25,000.00 and \$30,000.00; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the City of Spring Hill's Purchasing Policy, such repair qualifies as an emergency purchase due to it being a threat to the health, safety, and welfare of the City and its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Purchasing Policy requires that emergency purchases exceeding \$25,000 be reported to and approved by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen; and

WHEREAS, the City intends to utilize **Siddons-Martin Emergency Group**, a qualified service provider, to complete the pump replacement or rebuild.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Spring Hill, Tennessee, that the failure of the pump on Ladder Truck #63 an emergency as defined by the City's Purchasing Policy and authorizes the necessary emergency repairs to Ladder Truck #63 at a cost not to exceed \$30,000.00, to be performed by Siddons-Martin Emergency Group.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Administrator, or designee, is hereby authorized to proceed with said emergency repairs and take all necessary actions to restore the vehicle to service.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed and adopted this 5th day of August, 2025.



Matt Fitterer, Mayor

ATTEST:



April Goad, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM.



Patrick Carter, City Attorney



TO: Board of Mayor and Aldermen

FROM: Rebecca Holden, Finance Director

DATE: July 30, 2025

SUBJECT: Emergency Repair of Ladder Truck #63 – Authorization for Expenditure

This memo accompanies the resolution requesting authorization for an emergency expenditure to repair the pump system of Ladder Truck #63, which has recently failed. Ladder Truck #63 is a critical component of the City's firefighting and emergency response fleet, and its current inoperable status poses a serious threat to the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Spring Hill.

In accordance with the City's Purchasing Policy, emergency purchases are permitted when immediate action is necessary to address such risks. However, because the estimated cost for repair exceeds \$25,000, notification to and approval by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen is required.

The City's Fire Department has worked with Siddons-Martin Emergency Group, a qualified and trusted vendor, to evaluate the needed repairs. It is anticipated that the cost of the pump repair or rebuild will fall between \$25,000 and \$30,000.

This repair is urgent and necessary to ensure public safety services are not compromised. I respectfully request that the Board approve this emergency expenditure so that the repair can be scheduled and completed without delay.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need further information.



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