

RESOLUTION 18-191

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF A UTILITY VEHICLE FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the Spring Hill Police is in need of a utility vehicle for special events occurring throughout the year in Spring Hill; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department request to purchase a Polaris Ranger 900 utility vehicle from Columbia Power Sports for \$18,130.03 from Contract Sourcewell #051717-PSI; and

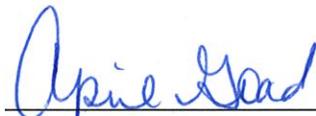
WHEREAS, funding will be used from within the department's current budget; and

WHEREAS, City staff has reviewed prior proposals and has made a recommendation to the Budget Finance Advisory Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Spring Hill authorizes the purchase of a Polaris Ranger XP 900 Utility Vehicle at a total cost of \$18,130.03 to be purchased from Sourcewell, formerly NJPA , contract Sourcewell # 051717-PSI , as recommended by the Budget and Finance Advisory Committee on October 1, 2018.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Spring Hill, Tennessee on the 15th day of October, 2018.

ATTEST:



April Goad, City Recorder



Rick Graham, Mayor

LEGAL FORM APPROVED:



Patrick Carter, City Attorney



**City of Spring Hill
Budget and Finance Committee
Purchase Evaluation Form**

Department: Police
Presented By: Don Brite
Date: October 1st, 2018
Department Budget Status:

I. Purpose/Overview: To purchase a utility vehicle for special events that occur throughout the year in Spring Hill.

II. Background Information: As the growth of Spring Hill continues, there are more applications for special events in the city involving large crowds and increased traffic, requiring police presence. SHPD currently has an older model Kawasaki Mule that we use and had received from military surplus. The mule has served its purpose, but with the increased number of events taking place, we would request a newer and bigger vehicle to handle the needs of the department during these events. The vehicle can transport more officers or people along with traffic cones and other equipment needed during the events. Should an emergency take place at the event, this vehicle can maneuver easier through the area. A lot of events are taking place in fields/grassy areas, a utility vehicle is more practical than using a standard vehicle. The purchase will come from within the department budget and will be from Columbia Power Sports, off contract, Sourcewell #051717-PSI, formerly NJPA. ** This utility vehicle by law is considered a medium speed vehicle. It will meet requirements and specs so that it can be legally driven on roadways where the speed is posted 40 mph.

III. Financial Impact to Budget. \$18,130.03

IV. Alternative Options: continue using present vehicle, which will eventually be used on the firing range, if / when approved, or purchase another type of vehicle .

V. Staff Recommendations: Due to the increased applications for events, I request to purchase the polaris utility vehicle to be utilized at special events . This will aid the police department before, during and after the event to transport officers and equipment used during the event.

