

## Legislation Text

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### Fire Apparatus Repair and Maintenance Services

**Action:**

- A. Approve a unit price contract with Atlantic Coast Fire Trucks for fire apparatus repair and maintenance services for an initial term of three years, and**
- B. Authorize the City Manager to renew the contract for up to two, one-year terms with possible price adjustments and to amend the contract consistent with the purpose for which the contract was approved.**

**Staff Resource(s):**

Phil Reiger, General Services  
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**Explanation**

- The city provides maintenance services along with general and warranty repair work for all fire apparatus. Warranty repairs are required to be completed by an authorized manufacturer repair facility.
- Atlantic Coast Fire Trucks is the only company in the area authorized for both Spartan cab and chassis, as well as Smeal body, ladder, and pump systems.
- Using Atlantic Coast Fire Trucks reduces downtime of equipment and reduces or eliminates additional transportation and towing costs.
- Waiver of a competitive solicitation process for services may be granted on a limited basis when deemed appropriate and in the city's best interest. A waiver has been approved for these services based on limited vendors with the required qualifications.
- Total annual expenditures are estimated to be \$700,000.

**Charlotte Business INclusion**

This is a contract with a waiver of solicitation for services and is exempt (Part A: Appendix 1.27 of the Charlotte Business INclusion Policy).

**Fiscal Note**

Funding: General Services Operating Budget