

Rapid City Police Department
Memo

TO: Chief Karl Jergeris

FROM: Lieutenant Cathy Bock

DATE: January 7, 2019

SUBJECT: 2019 Vehicle Purchases

Sgt. Asscherick and I have reviewed the status of our current fleet. Based on our review, we recommend the following purchases to replace aging, high-mileage vehicle in patrol and administration fleet. This is part of our routine replacement plan to ensure our fleet is safely maintained.

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Vehicle(s) to Purchase</u>	<u>Cost</u>
2	Dodge Durango	\$70,406
5	Dodge Charger	\$141,505
1	Administrator Charger	\$25,469
	Total	\$237,380

I calculated the state bid prices of the vehicles including options. I went to Liberty Superstores in Rapid City and the dealership agreed to meet state bid prices. The Durango does not have driver's door ballistic as an option. Liberty is able to have that option added to the Durango and will match the state bid price for Charger driver side ballistic.

These purchases will make a significant positive impact on the condition of the fleet. The state bid and dealers invoices are attached to this memo for your review.

With these purchases several vehicle will be repurposed throughout the department. The final results will be an increase to our fleet by 1 vehicle throughout our fleet. We have found ourselves in the last couple years having a shortage of marked patrol cars to cover the four shifts of officers. This will increase the overall efficiency of the department.

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