Date: June 11, 2016
To: RCPL Board of Trustees
From: Darla Drew, Finance Committee
Re: Vehicle Purchase

Date: July 6, 2016
To: Darla Drew, Finance Committee
From: Jim McShane, Library Director
Re: Vehicle Purchase

Motion: Move to approve the purchase of a replacement vehicle off of the state contract to Jerry’s Chevrolet for the facilities truck. Total Cost: $29,089.

Background:

When placing the order for the 2016 Chevrolet Silvaro, approved at the April meeting, we were informed that the cost of the new facilities truck had gone down. However, there was a $200 delivery fee. A new request is therefore made to purchase the below at a cost of $29,089 instead of the previously listed price of $28,986.

The current 2000 Dodge Ram is up for replacement and has been deferred in the budget for several years, however is budgeted this year for replacement. The Dodge currently has 159,560 miles, has a small leak in the transfer case, as well as in the rear seal of the motor. The blinker and hazard lights work most of the time, but fail on occasion. The lift gate is starting to go out as well, but this will be purchased separately, as well as a new plow to fit the new truck. The 2000 Dodge Ram will then be surplused and included in the City auction in June.

Project Name: Library replacement of vehicle that is in need of replacement.
Item Description: Purchase of #18 - 2016 Class CL Truck ¾ Ton 4x4 Double Cab Short Box Chevrolet Silverado. The current truck is a 2000 Dodge Ram 1500 with 159,560 miles. Purchase from Billion Automotive.

Estimated Cost of Item: $29,089
Basis of Payment: Single Payment
Appropriation Data:
- Amount: $29,089
- Fund Name: City Library Budget
- Department: Library
- Line Item: 4360
- Fund: 0609