



# City Council Report

**Date:** January 11, 2010  
**To:** City Council  
**Through:** Bryan Raines, Deputy City Manager  
**From:** Edward Quedens, Business Services Director  
**Subject:** Purchase of One (1) Class 8 Conventional Tractor (Semi-Cab & Chassis) for the Mesa Fire Department (Mesa Contract #2009130) (Fully Funded by Federal Homeland Security Program, 2008 Urban Area Security Initiative Grant)  
"Citywide" contract

## Purpose and Recommendation

Council is requested to approve the Purchase of One (1) Class 8 Conventional Tractor (Semi-Cab & Chassis) as recommended. Council previously awarded the contract for a tractor to the lowest, responsive and responsible bidder in May 2009. The contract allows the City to purchase additional tractors at the bid price for 12 months after the bid opening date.

The Business Services Department recommends purchase from the same contract with McCandless of Arizona at \$116,959.66, including applicable sales tax.

Funding for the purchase is available from the Federal Homeland Security Program, 2008 Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Grant, which must be used while the funding is made available or forfeited.

## Background/Discussion

Emergency Management is requesting the purchase of an additional Class 8 Conventional Tractor, to be used to support the Rapid Response Trailers (RRT's) used for emergency response deployments and state drills as needed.

The vendor has submitted a revised proposal based on the contract pricing of the last tractor purchase (in August 2009) for a 2011 model year tractor. Pricing is \$4,587.43 more due to emission charges, engine and related components. These transition engines circumvent the \$8,000 emission charges for 2010.

The recommended vehicle was chosen from the Federal government's approved equipment list as it meets required specifications for hauling the department's rapid response trailers.

**Alternatives**

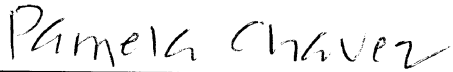
Council may choose not to authorize this purchase.

**Fiscal Impact**

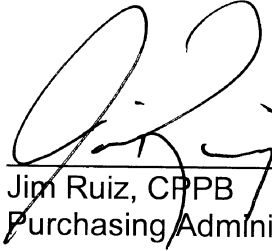
The total amount of \$116,959.66 is available from the Federal Homeland Security Program, 2008 Urban Area Security Initiative Grant.

**Coordinated With**

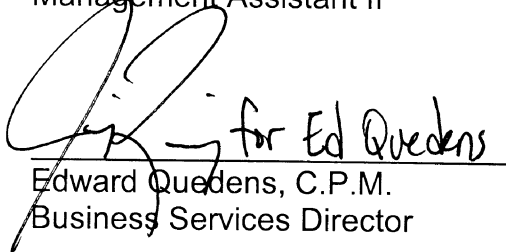
Fire Department – Emergency Management



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Purchasing Administrator



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Business Services Director



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Deputy City Manager

**CITY OF MESA  
PURCHASE RECOMMENDATION  
CLASS 8 CONVENTIONAL TRACTOR  
(REQUEST FOR BID #2009130)**

**McCandless of Arizona  
Phoenix, AZ**

Description	Contract Price
2010 International 7600 SBA 6 X 4 (SF647) Class 8 Conventional Tractor per specifications, to include International MaxForce 13 diesel engine, 430 hp at 2,100 RPM governed speed, 1,550 lbs/ft torque @ 1,000; Transition engine upgrade per attached G-letter G-6188; Roof deflector painted and installed; 2 deck plates; Allison 4000_HS 4 <sup>th</sup> Generation Controls; Dana Spicer E-1202W; Dana Spicer DST41/RST41; Hendrickson HAS-402-55; Fire and Tri Kit; Allison Transmission Manuals; MaxForce Engine Diagnostic Download Link; Service Max Software; and extended vehicle coverage to 24-months/100,000 miles.	<b>\$107,995.99</b>
	8.3% Sales Tax <u>\$8,963.67</u>
	<b>TOTAL    \$116,959.66</b>