# City of Garden Grove

# INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To:

Matthew J. Fertal

From: Keith G. Jones

Dept:

City Manager

Dept: Public Works

Subject:

PURCHASE OF ONE (1) NEW

Date: January 27, 2009

3/4 TON UTILITY BODY TRUCK

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To secure City Council authorization to purchase one (1) 3/4 ton utility body truck.

#### **BACKGROUND**

To improve the City's traffic signal maintenance program, the Engineering Division is requesting the addition of one (1)  $^3\!4$  ton utility body truck to the City's fleet of vehicles. The planned addition was approved through the fiscal year 2008/2009 budget process. The following analysis represents the costs for the fleet addition.

#### <u>ANALYSIS</u>

Specifications were prepared and sent to five (5) local prospective bidders. In response to prescribed bidding procedures, one (1) bid was received; four (4) others were unresponsive.

Nicholas Chevrolet

\$30,969.64

Garden Grove, CA.

# FINANCIAL IMPACT

The financial impact is \$30,969.64 to the Vehicle Maintenance Fund. Funds for the fleet addition are available as part of the fiscal year 2008/2009 budget.

# COMMUNITY VISION IMPLEMENTATION

Dependable safe vehicles are essential to ensure the Public Works Department remains efficient, high-quality service providers, as outlined in the City of Garden Grove's strategic plan.

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that City Council:

• Authorize the Finance Director to issue a purchase order in the amount of \$30,969.64 to Nicholas Chevrolet for the purchase of one (1) new 3/4 ton utility body truck.

KEITH G. JONES

Public Works Director

By: Phillip Carter

Equipment Maintenance Supervisor

Recommended for Approval

Matthew Fertal City Manager