

## Legislative File No: 2016-0471

TO:	Mayor and City Council Members
FROM:	Lisa Cummins, Purchasing Manager
DATE:	December 5, 2016

**SUBJECT:** Maintenance, Hardware and Building Supplies

# REQUEST:

City Council is requested to authorize a blanket purchase order to The Home Depot, Rochester Hills, Michigan for the purchase of various maintenance, hardware, and building supplies in the not-to-exceed amount of \$50,000.00 through December 31, 2017.

#### REASON FOR PURCHASE:

The City has utilized The Home Depot as a local supplier of various supplies, including hardware and building products for several years. The Home Depot offers many benefits including, a central location for the various department users, broad coverage of needs with lower prices than other local hardware and building supply facilities; consolidation of numerous vendors into one source with 24-hour access for emergencies. The City does not warehouse maintenance, hardware, and building products, purchases can be made efficiently on an as-needed basis, saving travel and personnel resources. The Home Depot blanket purchase order has reduced expenditures with other vendors of these commodities.

The City of Rochester Hills utilizes the U.S. Communities Cooperative Purchasing Program. The contract was competitively bid by Maricopa County, Arizona, offering savings for governmental agencies across the United States. The City receives a rebate based on annual net purchases and percentage of discount for large volume purchases.

#### PROCESS:

Vendor Name and Address: The Home Depot 225 W. Avon Rochester Hills, MI 48307

Reason for Selection: Best Value; Cooperative Contract

Method of Purchase: Blanket Purchase Order

# BUDGET:

Funding is included Citywide in the FY 2017 Adopted Budget.

Fund Name	Department Account No	Account No. Description	Budget Amount	Cost	Remaining Budget
Various Citywide	Various Citywide	Various.740000	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$0

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

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APPROVALS:	SIGNATURE	DATE
Department Review		
Department Director		
Budget Content: Finance Director		
Purchasing Process: Supervisor of Procurement		
Mayor		
Deputy Clerk		

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