

City Council Agenda Summary Sheet (Purchases)

Agenda No: 2004-0420
Date: April 27, 2004
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City File No:

Meeting Date: May 5, 2004

PURPOSE:

Increase the blanket purchase order for a fire safety house to Mobile Concepts, Mt. Pleasant, PA, in the amount of \$35,985 by \$5,300 for the Weather Smart Package for a new total of \$41,285.

DISCUSSION:

On January 21, 2004, City Council approved the purchase of a Fire Safety House in the amount of \$38,900.00. This purchase is funded entirely by donations from corporate businesses, and residents and will assist in the expansion of the fire department public education program.

A recent donation from a corporate sponsor earmarked for the Fire Safety House has subsequently been received. The Fire Department will utilize these funds to enhance the Fire Safety House, currently under construction, by adding the Weather Smart Package. This package consists TV/VCR, speaker surround sound system with CD/DVD player and video and sound equipment with special effects simulating lightning and tornado.

This addition to the Fire Safety House will increase its educational value, by enhancing the scope of training that can be provided to children and their families in safety procedures.

FISCAL INFORMATION:

There is no impact on the budget. All funds for this purchase were generated through donations and awards to the Fire Department. There is no impact on department staff.

Fund Name	Fund Account #	Description	Budget Amount	Cost	Remaining Budget
Fire	402.675000		\$44,950.00	\$41,285.00	\$3,665.00

Vendor Name and Address:

Mobile Concepts
480 Bessemer Rd.
Mt. Pleasant, PA 15666

Reason for Selection:

Lowest Bid meeting bid specifications

Method of Purchase:

Purchase Order

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that City Council increase the blanket purchase order for a fire safety house to Mobile Concepts, Mt. Pleasant, PA, in the amount of \$35,985 by \$5,300 for the Weather Smart Package for a new total of \$41,285.

ATTACHMENTS:

- List of Donations/Contributions for this purchase
- Weather Station Quotation

Department Authorization: Gregory L. Walterhouse, Fire Chief

Reviewed by:

Fiscal: *Jean Farris*

Clerks: *Susan Koliba-Galeczka*

Approved by: *Pat Somerville*

RESOLUTION

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