

# City of Rochester Hills AGENDA SUMMARY FINANCIAL ITEMS

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Legislative File No: 2006-0748

**TO:** Mayor and City Council Members

FROM: Ronald Crowell, Fire Chief, 248-841-2706

**DATE:** October 5, 2006

**SUBJECT:** Approval of Blanket Purchase Order for AccuMed Billing, Inc.

## **REQUEST:**

City Council approval to issue a blanket purchase order to AccuMed Billing, Inc. in the amount not-to-exceed \$80,000 through December 31, 2007.

# **REASON FOR PURCHASE:**

Since the Fire Department is a licensed transporting agency, we are able to seek reimbursement for equipment and supplies used during medical incidents.

A RFP process was utilized in 2002 to select AccuMed Billing, Inc. The proposal includes a yearly option to renew for a 5-year period. The billing company's responsibilities include collecting run reports, generating medical bills and handling collections. All monies received from collections are deposited directly into the City's accounts. AccuMed charges the City 10% of collections and invoices the City monthly. The approval covers fees during 2007 for a total not-to-exceed blanket purchase order of \$80,000 through December 31, 2007.

### **PROCESS:**

Vendor Name and Address: AccuMed Billing, Inc. P.O. Box 2122 Riverview, MI 48192

**Reason for Selection:** 

**Best Value** 

Method of Purchase: Purchase Order

#### **BUDGET:-**

No impact on staff or services.

	Department	Account No.	Budget		Remaining
<b>Fund Name</b>	Account No	Description	Amount	Cost	Budget
206	344.801000	Professional Services	\$80,000		

**RECOMMENDATION:**I am recommending City Council approve a blanket purchase order for AccuMed Billing, Inc in the amount of not-to-exceed \$80,000 through December 31, 2007.

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