# City Council Agenda Summary Sheet (Purchases) 

| Agenda No: | Postage by Phone - Pitney Bowes |
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| Date: | $2 / 3 / 04$ |
| Prepared By: | Jane Leslie, Clerks Dept., 2461 |
| City File No: | n/a |
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| Meeting Date: | February 17, 2004 (next available) |

## PURPOSE:

The Clerk's Office is requesting City Council approval for a blanket purchase order for Pitney Bowes, Inc.-Postage by Phone in the amount not-to-exceed \$50,000.00.

## DISCUSSION:

The city leases Pitney Bowes postage equipment including the postage meter. The postage meter must be refilled periodically using a telephone/wire transaction (Postage by Phone). The postage is used for daily processing of the city's outgoing mail.

## FISCAL INFORMATION:

Postage expense is an annually budgeted item. We average between $\$ 40,000$ and $\$ 50,000$ per year for first class metered postage. $\$ 50,000$ is the budgeted amount for the metered postage account (Postage by Phone).

| Fund Name | Fund <br> Account \# | Description | Budget <br> Amount | Cost | Remaining <br> Budget |
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| General | 101.100501 | Metered Mail | $\$ 50,000.00$ | $\$ 50,000.00$ |  |
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## Vendor Name and Address:

Pitney Bowes, Inc.
PO Box 856179
Louisville, KY 40285-6179

## Reason for Selection:

Sole Source
Method of Purchase:
Blanket Purchase Order

## RECOMMENDATION:

That City Council approves the blanket purchase order for Pitney Bowes, Inc.-Postage by Phone in the amount not-to-exceed $\$ 50,000.00$ for metered mail postage in 2004.

## ATTACHMENTS:

Purchase Overview

Department Authorization: Beverly A. Jasinski, Clerk, CMC/AAE Reviewed by:

Fiscal: Jean Farris
Clerks: Susan Koliba-Galeczka
Approved by: Pat Somerville

## RESOLUTION

NEXT AGENDA ITEM
RETURN TO AGENDA

