

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
COMMISSION AGENDA ITEM

SUBJECT: Bid for a 3,000 Gallon Tanker for the Fire Department

Work Session/Regular Session

DATE OF MEETING: January 14, 2020

BUDGET IMPACT: \$399,414.00

FUNDING SOURCE:

- Annual
- Capital
- N/A
- SPLOST
- TSPLOST

COUNTY ACTION REQUESTED ON: Bid for a 3,000 Gallon Tanker for the Fire Department

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HISTORY, FACTS AND ISSUES: Lowndes County solicited bids on a new model year, commercial cab, 3,000 gallon tanker for the Fire Department. This tanker will replace a tanker that was taken out of service in 2016. Lowndes County received two responsible, responsive bids for the new tanker. The low bidder also offered a discount for payment upon order. Lowndes County currently has five (5) other Rosenbauer apparatus in service and has not experienced any major issues with any of those vehicles.

Innovative Fire Group - Ocala, FL - Rosenbauer - \$399,414.00

Innovative Fire Group - Ocala, FL - Rosenbauer - \$388,355.00 (discounted)

Ten-8 Fire Equipment - Bradenton, FL - Pierce - \$432,142.00

- OPTIONS:
1. Award bid to Innovative Fire Rescue Group in the amount of \$399,414.00 payable at time of delivery
  2. Award bid to Innovative Fire Rescue Group in the amount of \$388,355.00 payable at the time of order
  3. Board's Pleasure

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Board's pleasure

DEPARTMENT: Finance

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Stephanie Black

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: