

PURCHASING AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

09-0149R

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CITY OFFICIALS TO CONTRACT WITH DULUTH LAWN AND SPORT FOR THE PURCHASE AND DELIVERY OF TWO JOHN DEERE 1435 SERIES II COMMERCIAL FRONT MOWERS FOR A TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$54,956.92.

CITY PROPOSAL:

RESOLVED, that city officials are hereby authorized to contract with Duluth Lawn & Sport for the purchase and delivery of two John Deere 1435 Series II commercial front mowers for the park maintenance division, in accordance with state of Minnesota Contract #440435, Release #M-448(5), specifications and pricing in the amount of \$51,602.74 plus sales tax of \$3,354.18, for a combined total amount of \$54,956.92, terms net 30, FOB destination, and payable as follows:

(a) \$7,456.92 from Capital Equipment Fund 250, Agency 015, Organization 2008, Object 5580, Project: CE250-V811;

(b) \$47,500.00 from Capital Equipment Fund 250, Agency 015, Organization 2009, Object 5580, Project: CE250-V905.

Approved:

Approved for presentation to council:

Department Director
Purchasing Agent ____
Manager, Maintenance Operations ____

Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:

Approved:

Attorney

Auditor

FLEET/PRCH DS:le 2/26/2009

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution will authorize the purchase of two John Deere commercial riding mowers with options and warranty from Duluth Lawn and Sport for a total amount of \$54,956.92, payable from the capital equipment fund. These vehicles will replace two mowers in the park maintenance division.

This purchase is based on a cooperative purchasing agreement referenced as state of Minnesota Contract #440435, Release #M-448(5).

Duluth Lawn and Sport, located at 4725 Grand Avenue in Duluth, Minnesota, is the John Deere authorized dealer for this area.

Requisition No. 09-0160