



COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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Council Agenda Background

To: Gabe Reaume, City Manager

From: Keith C. Rinehart, Director of Community & Economic Development

Date: City Council Meeting – September 7, 2021

ITEM:

Consideration and Action regarding Purchase of One (1) 2021 Chassis Mount Animal Control Unit for the Animal Services Department

PRESENTER:

Keith C. Rinehart, Director of Community & Economic Development

DISCUSSION:

Recently (in July 2021), the City Council approved the purchase of a new 2500 Chevrolet Truck for the Animal Services Department. This new vehicle replaced a 2005 Dodge 1/2 ton truck with an engine that had over 106,000 miles and numerous incurable mechanical issues. That vehicle purchase was a recommendation from Saginaw Chief Mechanic Mayhue.

The vehicle chassis mount Animal Control Unit is an animal storage compartment that is mounted on the back of the truck that will house up to six (6) animals. It is all stainless steel, has an exhaust fan, LED lights, switching partitions and lockable doors. The quote for this item was not received in time to include with the initial truck purchase (see above paragraph) or it would have been included at that time. The existing Dodge truck chassis mount is smaller and will not fit on this new truck. It was ordered in July 2021 but has not yet been purchased or installed.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff is recommending the approval.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

The financial impact will be

- TOTAL COST: \$19,474 (includes installation)

ATTACHMENTS:

- Quote from Deerskin Manufacturing

If you have any questions, please contact me at 817-230-0331.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Keith C. Rinehart".

Keith C. Rinehart, Director of Community & Economic Development



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ACCM 6
6 COMPARTMENT CHASSIS MOUNT ANIMAL CONTROL UNIT
56" CAB TO AXLE TRUCK/MINIMUM ¾ TON VEHICLE

Rear Storage Compartment:	22"W x 35"H x 80"D
Animal Compartments:	
Front:	28"W x 35"H x 40"D (With Pass Through Divider)
Front Center:	25"W x 26"H x 40"D (With Pass Through Divider)
Rear Center:	25"W x 26"H x 40"D (With Pass Through Divider)

Construction:

- Basic frame is 2x2 welded steel tubing with a Superstructure of 1x1 welded steel tubing
- All steel is hot dipped galvanized before covering
- The ceiling contains 4" foam insulation. The front wall, back wall and bottom contain 1" foam insulation
- The interior and exterior material is 20 gauge stainless steel
- The ceilings consist of .050 aluminum with a roof of 125 aluminum diamond plate
- Doors are made with 12 gauge stainless steel and hinged from the front with a continuous stainless steel hinge
- Doors have positive locking tee handles, keyed alike
- Doors have adjustable louvered aluminum vents with perforated inside covers
- Storage compartment floors are carpeted
- The storage compartment doors are solid (with no vents)
- Units are equipped with LED marker lights, LED stop and tail lights, LED dual backup lights, and four-way flashers



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- The body is mounted to the vehicle frame with eight (8) angle brackets

Included Accessories

12 Volt Exhaust Fan installed on the roof of the unit to exhaust heat from each compartment. The exhaust fan is rated at 800 CFM. If an air conditioner is installed, the fan is omitted.

LED Interior lights are installed in each animal compartment and storage compartment with the switch box mounted in the cab of the vehicle.

Swinging partitions are installed in animal compartments and can be opened to create a pass-through compartment between each side of the unit. If a slide out lift system is installed, the swinging partition is omitted in that compartment.

Backup Camera from the factory will be installed on the rear of the animal control unit. If your vehicle is not equipped from the factory with a backup camera monitor, there will be additional charges.

Backup Alarm

6-Secondary Safety Door—These doors are located inside the primary door and are constructed of 125 aluminum with 3/4" holes punched for ventilation and a catch pole cutout.

LED Work Lights (2) 4 X 6 LED work lights mounted on the rear of the unit.

Fuel Fill Kit

Step Bumper—The bumper is constructed of stainless steel and is 82" long and 6" wide, with shur-step antiskid in place.

Price for each unit per above specifications is	\$ 18,374.00
Charge for Installation at Factory	\$ 1,100.00
Shipping Charges	CUSTOMER PICK UP
Total Price for Each Unit	\$ 19,474.00

Quote To
City of Saginaw, Tx
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817-232-4640
2021 GMC Sierra 2500 4X4

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Optional Accessories

Top Luggage Rack-This rack is installed on top of unit for additional storage. The rack is constructed of 1 ½ X 1 ½ square aluminum tubing welded.

LED Emergency Strobe – LED Mini lightbar strobe installed on front of unit. Strobe is operated by a switchbox in the vehicle cab.

Air Conditioning System- Unit is 18,900 BTU with add on compressor to truck engine. (Rangers, S-10's, Toyotas, etc are not adaptable to brackets for added compressors.)

Auxiliary Heating- A 16,000 BTU directional air louvered heater.

Patio Storage Bumper-The bumper is constructed of steel and is 82" long and 15" wide, painted with automotive polyurethane paint, and has a storage compartment in the center.

Rubber Mats-Constructed of ½" thick, chew proof rubber mats to fit the floor of the compartment.

Dead Animal Pan-Pan is constructed of aluminum and has four raised sides and handles on each end and is removable.

Deerskin Lift System-Slide out cage housed in curb side front compartment to assist in lifting large animals. Powered by a 2500# 12 volt, cable winch, the cage lowers to curb height and is capable of lifting 200 pounds.

Dead Animal Box with Lift Gate-Located in the rear center of the unit, with a hydraulic lift gate capable of lifting 1000 pounds. If this is added to the unit, the rear storage becomes 8" deep on each side.

LED Directional Light Bar -Traffic advisor located on the rear of the unit, placed at center top to advise traffic of the vehicle location.

Door Props-Mounted to the inside of the primary door, used to hold the door in open position while loading/unloading animals.

Digital Thermometer-Mounted on dash of truck with the probe located inside animal unit to monitor temperature while vehicle is in use.