

**RESOLUTION NO. RS-2021- 07**

***(Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchase [INTG-21-0068] 2022 Ford Police Interceptor Utility Vehicles for Washington County Sheriff's Office)***

**RECITALS**

The Code of the Public Local Laws of Washington County, Maryland (the "Public Local Laws"), §1-106.3, provides that the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County, Maryland (the "Board"), "may procure goods and services through a contract entered into by another governmental entity in accordance with the terms of the contract, regardless of whether the county was a party to the original contract."

Subsection (c) of §1-106.3 provides that "A determination to allow or participate in an intergovernmental cooperative purchasing arrangement under subsection (b) of this section shall be by resolution and shall either indicate that the participation will provide cost benefits to the county or result in administrative efficiencies and savings or provide other justifications for the arrangement."

The Sheriff's Office seeks to purchase three (3) 2022 Ford Police Interceptor Utility vehicles from Hertrich Fleet Services, Inc., of Milford, Delaware. The cost of each vehicle is \$33,412, for a total cost of \$100,236, based on the statewide contract that was awarded by the State of Maryland Department of General Services Office of Procurement and Logistics (Contract #001B1600353).

The State of Maryland Department of General Services Office of Procurement and Logistics took the lead in soliciting and awarding the said statewide contract. As a result, the County will benefit with direct cost savings in the purchase of this equipment because of the economy of scale leveraged under the said statewide contract. Additionally, the County will realize savings through administrative efficiencies as a result of not preparing, soliciting, and evaluating a bid.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board, pursuant to § 1-106.3 of the Public Local Laws, that the Sheriff's Office is approved to purchase three (3) 2022 Ford Police Interceptor Utility vehicles from Hertrich Fleet Services, Inc., of Milford, in the total amount of \$100,236, based on the statewide contract awarded by the State of Maryland Department of General Services Office of Procurement and Logistics (Contract #001B1600353).

Adopted and effective this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2021.

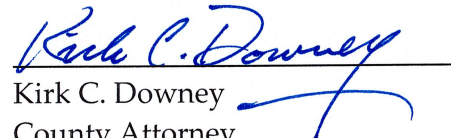
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OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

  
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