



**City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
March 10, 2009**

ITEM TITLE:

A Resolution of the City of Coral Gables authorizing the City Manager to purchase a Dealer Demonstrator Isuzu Emergency Rescue Truck from Custom Trucks & Body Works, Inc., the Sole Source Vendor, in the amount of \$80,000.00 pursuant to Procurement Code, section 2-770 Sole Source Procurement. This vehicle is a replacement air truck to refill the breathing air cylinders for the Coral Gables Fire Department.

RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITY MANAGER:

It is recommended that the City Commission accept the recommendation of the City Manager to purchase a Dealer Demonstrator Isuzu Emergency Rescue Truck from Custom Trucks & Body Works, Inc., the Sole Source Vendor.

BRIEF HISTORY:

The Fire Department has a need for a replacement air truck to refill the breathing air cylinders for the firefighters.

On January 29, 2009, an opportunity to purchase a demonstrator Isuzu Rescue Truck already built and with approximately 3,000 miles was presented to the City.

The City negotiated with Custom Trucks & Body Works Inc. in Woodbury, GA the purchase price of said Rescue Truck (Vin # JALESW16387901569) to be \$94,995.00 less negotiated discount \$14,995.00 for a total price of \$80,000.00.

The City's Automotive Director and Fire Chief attest that this Rescue Truck meets the needs of the department with a cost savings of over \$200,000 and recommend the purchase of said vehicle.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION: (If Applicable)

No.	Amount	Account No.	Source of Funds
1.	\$80,000.00	520-4700-590-6410	Automotive Fund
Total:		APPROVED BY:	

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Department Director	City Attorney (If Applicable)	City Manager

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. 2009 Emergency Rescue Truck Proposal