



Town Council Agenda Report

SUBJECT: Resolution

CONTACT PERSON/NUMBER: Chief John George/693-8320

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM: A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE NOT TO EXCEED \$12,000 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND FOR THE PURCHASE OF TWO DOGS FOR THE DAVIE POLICE DEPARTMENT K-9 UNIT

REPORT IN BRIEF: The two newly budgeted K-9 Officer positions create the need for two additional Police K-9s in the Police Department. Informal bids were solicited with the lowest bid of \$5,000 per dog being Orchard Knoll Kennels, Inc., Angier, North Carolina. This quote does not include shipping or transport charges if we need to travel to North Carolina to pick them up. We are requesting an amount not to exceed \$12,000 from the Law Enforcement Trust Funds.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS: N/A

CONCURRENCES: N/A

FISCAL IMPACT:

Has request been budgeted?	Forfeiture Funds Available
Expected cost	Not to exceed \$12,000
Account Name:	Law Enforcement Trust Fund

RECOMMENDATION(S):

Motion to approve resolution

Attachment(s):

Resolution
Procurement Authorization
Memo of explanation

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE NOT TO EXCEED \$12,000 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND FOR THE PURCHASE OF TWO DOGS FOR THE DAVIE POLICE DEPARTMENT K-9 UNIT

WHEREAS, two new budgeted K-9 Officer positions create the need for two additional Police K-9 dogs; and

WHEREAS, informal bids were solicited for two dogs to be KMPV titled Police Dogs from Holland and that the dogs have an IPO tracking title; and

WHEREAS, Orchard Knoll Kennels, Inc., in Angier, North Carolina, will furnish the two Police K-9 dogs at \$5,000 each plus shipping and or transportation charges to pick them up; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department wishes to purchase the two Police K-9 dogs from Orchard Knoll Kennels, Inc., plus shipping or transportation charges, in an amount not to exceed \$12,000, from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund, in compliance with Florida State Statute 932.704, which is not a recurring cost.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. The Town Council of the Town of Davie hereby accepts the informal bid of Orchard Knoll Kennels, Inc., to purchase two Police K-9 dogs.

SECTION 2. The Town Council authorizes the expenditure, not to exceed \$12,000, from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2000

MAYOR/COUNCILMEMBER

ATTEST:

TOWN CLERK

APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2000

TOWN OF DAVIE PROCUREMENT AUTHORIZATION

<u>ACCOUNT NUMBER.</u>	<u>BUDGET ITEM & DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>APPROXIMATE COST</u>
001-0520-521-0315	2 Police K-9s including transport charges	\$12,000

METHOD OF PROCUREMENT (check the one that applies)

- Open Competitive Bidding
- Piggyback on Contract Number _____
- Sole Source
- Request For Proposals

SPECIFICATIONS & LIST OF VENDORS MUST BE ATTACHED

Signed _____
Department Head

Have Funds been Reserved _____

Date _____ Signed _____

Signed _____
Town Administrator

<u>VENDOR</u>	<u>BIDS SUBMITTED</u>	<u>COST</u>
Orchard Knoll Kennels, Inc. Angier, NC	(2 dogs plus transport charges)	\$12,000

Signed _____
Procurement Manager

<u>TOWN ADMINISTRATOR'S RECOMMENDATION</u>	
<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Cost</u>

Signed _____
Town Administrator

DAVIE POLICE DEPARTMENT
MEMORANDUM

GM
4 Oct 00

TO: Pat Gorman

DATE:10-1-00

FROM: Sgt. Mize

SUBJECT: K-9

On 10-1-00 , I received 3 K-9 bids from various vendors who deal with Police K-9 Dogs. The specifications I requested were that the dog be a KMPV titled Police Dog from Holland and that the dog also should have an IPO tracking title. I also checked to see what kind of guarantee the vendors gave upon purchasing the dog.

Orchard Knoll Kennels advised the dogs would cost 5000 dollars and that the guarantee would be the following: The dog is guaranteed to pass all veterinary checks and the dog can be returned any time during the 4 month K-9 school if we are not satisfied with any part of the dogs previous K-9 training .

Metro Dade K-9's price is from 7500 dollars to 10,000 dollars. I have spoken to several agencies that have purchased dogs from Metro Dade K-9 and the overall opinion is the guarantee given isn't always backed by the vendor.

Von Liche Kennels advised the K-9 dogs would cost from 5500 dollars to 6500 dollars. The guarantee was the same as Orchard Knoll Kennels. I have trained several Police dogs purchased from Von Liche Kennels and was not really impressed with the overall drive of the dogs during the training that was required to pass the state exam.

The Davie Police Dept. has purchased K-9 dogs from Orchard Knoll Kennels for approximately 10 years. The guarantee that was given by Orchard Knoll Kennels has always been backed by the vendor and because of this most of the Police Agencies in Broward County now purchase their dogs from Orchard Knoll Kennels.

Sgt. Greg Mize