



To: Board of Parks and Recreation  
From: Mark Heintz – Director of Parks and Recreation  
Date: February 16, 2021  
Re: Purchase of (2) Z-Trak Mowers

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Munster Parks and Recreation is seeking to purchase two new Z-Trak mowers from the 2020 Town G.O. bond. These units are listed in the current replacement schedule. The proposal is from the Sourcewell cooperative purchasing program that the Town of Munster is part of and would be delivered from a local vendor, Castongia Tractor in Crown Point, Indiana. Purchasing through Sourcewell already meets the requirements for governmental competitive purchasing.

Unit #109 (2016 Z-Trak)

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|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| New Mower Cost              | \$10,987.50       |
| Less trade in for unit #109 | <u>\$3,650.00</u> |
| Total                       | <b>\$7,337.50</b> |

Unit #113 (2016 Z-Trak)

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|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| New Mower Cost              | \$10,987.50       |
| Less trade in for unit #113 | <u>\$3,800.00</u> |
| Total                       | <b>\$7,187.50</b> |

Budget note: These would be purchased from the 2020 Town G.O. bond proceeds.

Recommendation: Approve purchase of (2) John Deere Z960 M Z-trak mowers for a net total price after trade-ins of \$14,525 from Sourcewell in Cary, North Carolina but taking delivery from Castongia Tractor in Crown Point, Indiana to replace units #109 and #113.