

То:	Dustin Anderson – Town Manager
From:	Stephen Gunty – Director of Public Works
Meeting:	March 7, 2022
Re:	Purchase of a 2022 John Deere Z930M Z-Trak Mower

## Background

Munster Public Works seeks to purchase one new 2022 John Deere Z930M Z-Trak Mower and is due for replacement under our 5-year Capital Improvement Plan. The existing Unit #354 was purchased in 2017 for the Street Division and will be traded in to help reduce costs. Munster Public Works received a proposal from Castongia of Crown Point, Indiana for the new Z-Trak Mower priced through Sourcewell. Sourcewell takes the complexity out of the solicitation/bidding process by providing procurement services to governmental units through national contracts with vendors procured through a competitive bidding process that secures the lowest competitive pricing complying with Indiana law I.C. 5-22-10-5. The Town of Munster is a Sourcewell member (ID# 28145).

The 2022 John Deere Z930M Z Trak mower also includes a 3 bag, 12-bushel material collection system for a price of \$13,130.04 minus the Unit #354 trade-in of \$4,000 for a total price of \$9,130.04.

## **Budget Note**

\$9,130.04 price after trade-in will be funded from 2021 G.O. Bond proceeds 414-9152121-64440.

## Recommendation

By motion and voice vote, approve purchase from Castongia for a new 2022 John Deere Z930M Z-Trak Mower with trade-in of \$4,000 for a net price through Sourcewell of \$9,130.04 to replace Unit #354.