

# Memo

**To:** Munster Town Council  
**From:** Lieutenant Dan Broelmann  
**Date:** December 2, 2024  
**Re:** Additional Take-Home Vehicles

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Earlier this year, the Town Council approved the purchase of take-home vehicles for officers of the Police Department. The Council also approved the department to increase its sworn strength from forty-four (44) to fifty (50) sworn officers. I was instructed to order six (6) more squads to accommodate the additional officers. Bloomington Ford has these vehicles currently available. The cost of the vehicles is as follows:

2-	\$48,647.25
4-	<u>\$48,547.25</u>
	\$291,483.50 TOTAL

The difference between the two types of vehicles is an add-on of noise suppression bond straps which are installed on the first two (2) vehicles. Additional equipment will also need to be purchased in order to out-fit each vehicle. That information will be forthcoming.

## **Recommendation**

By roll call vote, authorize the Police Department to purchase six (6) additional take-home vehicles.