



EMERGENCY & COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE REPORT 22-009

1:30 p.m.
Thursday, June 2, 2022
Council Chambers
Hamilton City Hall
71 Main Street West

Present: Councillors B. Clark (Chair), N. Nann, T. Jackson and E. Pauls

Regrets: Councillors S. Merulla and T. Whitehead – Personal

THE EMERGENCY & COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE PRESENTS REPORT 22-009 AND RESPECTFULLY RECOMMENDS:

1. **Electronic Patient Care Record System Contract Negotiations (HSC21035(a)) (City Wide) (Item 7.2)**
 - (a) That ER Software Canada ULC be approved as the new vendor for the “IMEDIC” Electronic Ambulance Call Reporting System program and its associated products including new modules, product updates, software name changes if any, as well as support and professional services; and,
 - (b) That the Chief of the Hamilton Paramedic Service (HPS) or his designate, be authorized and directed to sign on behalf of the City of Hamilton, all negotiated agreements and all necessary associated documents for the “IMEDIC” program with ER Software Canada ULC with content acceptable to the General Manager of Healthy and Safe Communities, and in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.

2. **Standardization of Fire Equipment, Parts, Supplies and Services within the Hamilton Fire Department (HSC22020) (City Wide) (Item 7.3)**
 - (a) That Council approve the standardization of the suppliers of fire apparatus equipment and services and Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM) of equipment for fire apparatus and equipment as identified in Appendix “ A” to Emergency and Community Services Committee Report 22-009, pursuant to Procurement Policy #14 – Standardization and that these suppliers be approved as the single source of supply for the listed

equipment, parts, supplies and services through to June 30, 2027 for the Hamilton Fire Department Mechanical Division;

- (b) That the equipment, parts/supplies and services contained in Appendix “B” to Emergency and Community Services Committee Report 22-009 be approved as the manufacturer’s standard as per Procurement Policy #14 – Standardization and, where applicable, approved as a single source procurement, through to June 30, 2027 for the Hamilton Fire Department;
- (c) That the Chief of the Hamilton Fire Department, or his/her designate, be authorized to negotiate, enter into and execute any required Contract and any ancillary documents required to give effect thereto with those suppliers identified in Appendix “A” and Appendix “B” to Emergency and Community Services Committee Report 22-009 with content acceptable to the General Manager of Healthy and Safe Communities, and in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor; and,
- (d) That the Chief of the Hamilton Fire Department, or his/her designate, be authorized to amend any Contracts executed and any ancillary documents as required if a supplier identified in Appendix “A” and Appendix “B” to Emergency and Community Services Committee Report 22-009 undergoes a name change.

3. Closed Captioning for Committee Meetings (FCS22053) (City Wide) (Added Item 7.4)

That Report FCS22053, respecting Closed Captioning for Committee Meetings, be received.

4. Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Funding Update (HSC22035) (City Wide) (Item 10.1)

- (a) That the City of Hamilton accept the additional 100% funding from the Canada–Wide Early Learning and Child Care (CWELCC) agreement in the amount of \$30,918,741;
- (b) That one Level F vacant position be converted to create one Level 5 non-union position within the Children’s and Community Services Division with no net levy impact;
- (c) That one Level K vacant position be converted to create one Level M position within the Children’s and Community Services Division with no net levy impact; and,
- (d) That the General Manager of the Healthy and Safe Communities Department, or their designate, be authorized and directed to execute, on behalf of the City, the funding agreement from the Ministry of Education, as well as, any ancillary agreements associated with this funding in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.

FOR INFORMATION:

(a) APPROVAL OF AGENDA (Item 2)

The Committee Clerk advised the following changes to the agenda:

5. COMMUNICATIONS

- 5.1. Doug Stone, respecting Resignation from Seniors Advisory Committee

Recommendation: To be received and referred to the Interview Sub-Committee for the Emergency and Community Services Committee.

7. CONSENT ITEMS

- 7.4. Closed Captioning for Committee Meetings (FCS22053) (City Wide)

The agenda for the June 2, 2022 Emergency and Community Services Committee meeting was approved, as amended.

(b) DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (Item 3)

There were no declarations of interest.

(c) APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (Item 4)

The Minutes of the May 19, 2022 meeting of the Emergency and Community Services Committee, were approved, as presented.

(d) COMMUNICATIONS (Item 5)

- (i) Doug Stone, respecting Resignation from Seniors Advisory Committee (Added Item 5.1)**

The correspondence from Doug Stone, respecting Resignation from Seniors Advisory Committee, was received and referred to the Interview Sub-Committee for the Emergency and Community Services Committee.

(e) CONSENT ITEMS (Item 7)

- (i) Housing and Homelessness Advisory Committee Minutes (Item 7.1)**

The following Housing and Homelessness Advisory Committee Minutes, were received:

1. November 21, 2021

2. January 4, 2022
3. March 1, 2022

(f) GENERAL INFORMATION / OTHER BUSINESS (Item 13)

(i) Amendments to the Outstanding Business List (Item 13.1)

The following amendments to the Outstanding Business List, were approved:

- (a) Items Considered Completed and to be Removed
 1. Winter Services Plan for People Experiencing Homelessness
Item on OBL: 21-K
Addressed at the December 9, 2021 Emergency and Community Services Committee meeting as Item 8
 2. Tiny Homes Project
Item on OBL: 22-B
Addressed at the February 17, 2022 Emergency and Community Services Committee meeting as Item 2
 3. LGBTQ Advisory Committee Citizen Committee Report, respecting Recommendations from the Community Conversation
Item on OBL: 21-I
Addressed at the May 5, 2022 Emergency and Community Services Committee meeting as Item 2

(h) ADJOURNMENT (Item 15)

There being no further business, the Emergency and Community Services Committee was adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor B. Clark
Chair, Emergency and Community Services
Committee

Tamara Bates
Legislative Coordinator
Office of the City Clerk

**HFD Standardization of various Equipment, Parts/Supplies and Services
MECHANICAL DIVISION**

Vendor Name	Goods	Annual Spent 2021¹	5 Year Average¹	Procurement Policy
C-Max	Rev Group Authorized Primary Provider- KME Apparatus - warranty, OEM parts, service.	\$ 64,211	\$ 68,663	Single Source
Dependable	Rev Group Authorized Secondary Provider - KME Apparatus - warranty, OEM parts, service.	\$ 134,929	\$ 113,453	Single Source
Altruck Int. Truck Centers	Rev Group Authorized Provider - KME Apparatus - warranty, OEM parts, service of Cummins, Maxxforce Engines.	\$ 87,467	\$ 43,657	Single Source
Central Equip. Sales & Service LTD	Rev Group Authorized Provider - KME Apparatus - warranty, OEM parts, service of Integrated Suspension Systems.	\$ 27,679	\$ 52,903	Single Source
Chiefs Heavy Truck Collision	Rev Group Authorized Provider - KME, Spartan Apparatus - warranty, OEM parts, auto body, collision repair, paint. Also a provider for Pierce Apparatus not a Rev Group company.	\$ 75,840	\$ 62,410	Single Source
Profire Emergency Equip.	Rev Group Authorized Provider - Smeal Ladder Components - warranty, OEM parts, service and non destructive testing and inspection.	\$ 28,724	\$ 11,115	Single Source
Toromont Industries Limited	Warranty, OEM parts, service for Cat Engines.	\$ 42,991	\$ 45,467	Single Source
Integrated Distribution Systems	Warranty, OEM parts, service for Detroit Diesel Engines and Allison Transmissions.	\$ 28,337	\$ 14,530	Single Source
Metro Freightliner Hamilton Inc	Warranty, OEM parts, service Detroit Engines, Cummins Engines, Cat Engines, Allison Transmissions.	\$ 14,146	\$ 13,926	Single Source
Cummins Canada ULC	Warranty, on road service for Cummins Engines, is not capable of major repair or shop services. Diesel Particulate Filter service and exchange, large inventory.	\$ 10,890	\$ 12,349	Single Source
Eastgate Ford Sales & Service Co.	Warranty, OEM parts, service, large Truck Class vehicles F250 and larger.	\$ 2,498	\$ 4,219	Single Source
		\$ 517,712	\$ 442,692	

Notes

1. Amount varies year over year due to the repair/equipment/part services required in any given year

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Equipment Brand Name	Goods	Annual Spent 2021 ¹	5 Year Average ¹	Procurement Policy	Distributor
Starfield Structural Firefighting Ensemble (Jacket, Pants)	Structural Firefighting Ensemble, cleaning inspection, sizing of jackets and pants.	\$ 317,329	\$ 344,751	Single Source	Starfield Lion
MSA Thermal Imaging Camera	Handheld Thermal Imaging Cameras used in training and operations for search and rescue, searching for extension of fire, to monitor safety and provide instruction during live fire training for new recruits and ongoing employees.	\$ 9,990	\$ 103,345	RFQ/RFT	
CMC Rescue Equipment	Carabiners, racks, pulleys, ascenders, harnesses, arizona vortex tripod system, other various hardware and soft goods used to support technical rescue training and Operations.	\$ 0	\$ 15,867	Single Source	Ferno
Hale Fire Pumps	Hale Fire pumps used on fire apparatus to increase pressure to sustain fire fighting operations. The foundation of HFD pumps since 1984.	N/A	N/A	RFQ/RFT ³	
Akron Valves and Nozzles	Akron Valves and Nozzles are used to support fire fighting operations. Standardized since 1990.	N/A	N/A	RFQ/RFT ³	
Industrial Scientific Gas Detectors	Gas Detection for Hazmat and Confined Space, used exclusively since 2008 and is the preferred tool when detecting dangerous atmospheres.	\$ 16,266	\$ 9,411	RFQ/RFT	
Hurst E-Draulic Power Products	Manufacturer of E-Draulic power equipment used in industrial and vehicle rescue operations for the extrication of persons or to gain excess from when normal means of access are compromised.	\$ 134,262	\$ 89,955	Single Source	MES Inc (Code 4) ²
Rescue 42 Rescue Struts	Manufacturer of stabilization equipment used during automotive, industrial accidents or any other application appropriate during rescue operations.	\$ 0	\$ 35,516	Single Source	MES Inc (Code 4) ²
Nederman Vehicle Exhaust Extrication Systems	Supplier and manufacturer of vehicle exhaust extrication systems. Have been in use since 1990 with significant investment and satisfaction with product quality and service.	\$ 24,398	\$ 41,784	Single Source	Nederman
Whelen Emergency Vehicle Lighting	Emergency Vehicle Lighting and controls used on front line apparatus and support vehicles.	\$ 3,643	\$ 16,113	RFQ/RFT	
Havis Technology Mounting Solutions	Mobile mounting solutions for emergency vehicles and mobile work stations.	\$ 25,857	\$ 5,171	RFQ/RFT	
Milwaukee Electric Power Tools	Manufacturer of electric power tools. Multiple tools for a variety of situations supporting, suppression, training, fire prevention. Cutting tools, air handling, drilling, a constantly evolving market. Standardization allows for streamline battery replacement and charging station solutions.	\$ 20,444	\$ 4,089	RFQ/RFT	
		\$ 552,189	\$ 666,002		

Notes

1. Amount varies year over year due to the repair/equipment/part services required in any given year.
2. As of March 31 2022 Municipal Emergency Services Fire Inc (MES) has acquired Code 4.
3. These are existing on any new vehicles and don't have costs for replacement for the time period referenced.