RESOLUTION NO. 2017-240

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE DISPENSING WITH COMPETITIVE BIDDING PER ELK GROVE MUNICIPAL CODE SECTIONS 3.42.170 AND 3.42.108 FOR SINGLE VEHICLE PURCHASES AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE CONTRACTS WITH VEHICLE DEALERSHIPS FOR AN AGGREGATE COMPENSATION AMOUNT UP TO \$325,000 PER FISCAL YEAR TO PURCHASE VEHICLES, PROVIDED THAT THE COST OF INDIVIDUAL VEHICLES DOES NOT EXCEED \$50,000

WHEREAS, the City of Elk Grove's Fleet division maintains all City vehicles and procures additional or replacement vehicles when necessary; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of these additional or replacement vehicles is dependent on factors such as maintenance and repair costs, collision damage, changes in staffing levels, fiscal year budgets, and other unique and specific department needs; and

WHEREAS, replacing or adding vehicles to the fleet in a timely manner ensures that City departments are able to reach and maintain Council's goals and objectives; and

WHEREAS, dependent upon the needs of the department, new or used vehicles meeting specific criteria as to make, type, and age of vehicle may be sourced from various auto dealers within the region; and

WHEREAS, Staff will be sourcing vehicles from dealer stock or ordering vehicles through a manufacturer dealership; therefore, time is of the essence to ensure vehicles meeting specific parameters can be procured before they are no longer available; and

WHEREAS, this can best be accomplished by having prior authority for the City Manager to execute contracts in amounts that may exceed the \$50,000 City Manager authority allowed under Section 3.42.090 of the Elk Grove Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, first consideration to purchase vehicles will be given to local dealerships that qualify for the 5% bid local vendor bid preference per EGMC Section 3.42.230; and

WHEREAS, for the reasons presented the City Council finds that following bidding procedures for single City vehicle purchases under \$50,000 are often not in the best interest of the City and will not likely result in a better price or an outcome more advantageous to the City than through negotiated pricing; and

WHEREAS, in the event that Staff determines it would be more advantageous to purchase vehicles through a competitive bidding process, Staff will utilize the bidding procedures described in EGMC Chapter 3.42; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funding will be identified in each department's fiscal year operating budget for these purchases.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby determines that competitive bidding for single new and used vehicle purchases under \$50,000 is not in the best interest of the City for the subject vehicles, hereby dispenses with the competitive bidding requirements pursuant to Elk Grove Municipal Code Section 3.42.170 and 3.42.108 for single vehicle purchases, and authorizes the City Manager to execute contracts with vehicle dealerships for an aggregate compensation amount up to \$325,000 per fiscal year, providing the cost of individual new or used vehicles does not exceed \$50,000.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove this 11th day of October 2017.

STEVE LY, MAYOR of the CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

JASON LINDGREN CITY CLERK

JONATHÁN P. HÖBBS, CITY ATTORNEY

CERTIFICATION ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2017-240

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)	
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO)	SS
CITY OF ELK GROVE)	

I, Jason Lindgren, City Clerk of the City of Elk Grove, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove at a regular meeting of said Council held on October 11, 2017 by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: Ly, Detrick, Suen

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: Hume, Nguyen

Jason Lindgren, City\Clerk City of Elk Grove, California