

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Tim Malchow, EMS Chief

SUBJECT: Stryker Power Pro Stretcher

DATE: September 5, 2017

BACKGROUND

Cannon Falls Ambulance will be replacing an ambulance cot in 2018. The new cot will be able to be used in our Stryker Power-LOAD system. Two of our three ambulances currently have the Stryker Power-LOAD installed in them. Once approved, the new ambulance that is budgeted will also have the Stryker Power-LOAD installed in it.

If we place the order prior to October 1, 2017 we will save an estimated \$477.00 due to a 3% price increase from the manufacturer. We would not take delivery of the new Stryker Power Pro stretcher until January 2018. Once the stretcher is delivered, we will be invoiced for the new stretcher. We need a new stretcher for the Power-LOAD system.

This item was budgeted in the capital improvement plan and we have the funds available to purchase this equipment.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Request a motion to approve a purchase of a Stryker Power-PRO XT cot for price not to exceed \$16,000.00.