

TO: Mayor Althoff and City Council

FROM: Jeffrey L. McCormick, Chief of Police

SUBJECT: Disposal of Vehicles

DATE: September 28, 2022

BACKGROUND

The Police Department impound vehicles connected to use in crimes or arrests. The majority are subject to a forfeiture action. The vehicles fit into two categories, sellable or junk. The Police Department utilizes the State Auction for the sale of sellable vehicles. In the past we have found that the price received was much better there than taking bids for the vehicles. Vehicles that will not start or are operationally unsafe when reading them for auction are placed into the junk category and disposed of as junk for parts or destroyed and not to be reregistered.

The Police Department has been awarded the following vehicle that was seized for forfeiture. I request approval to dispose of the following vehicle as best determined by our assessment of the vehicle. The proceeds will be deposited into our forfeiture account for use as provided by State Statute.

- 2008 Chevrolet Colbalt – DUI

As in the past before disposing of junk vehicles we will check with the Ambulance and Fire Departments to see if they can use any of the vehicles for training purposes before they are junked.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Motion and approval of the disposal of vehicle listed above as described.