



## AGENDA STAFF REPORT

**MEETING DATE:** 2/5/2019

**AGENDA SECTION:** A

**SUBJECT:**

Public Works: Purchase of 636 residential refuse containers from Toter Wastequip, LLC., in the amount of \$32,652.00 (tax and freight included).

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

That the City Council, by motion, authorize the purchase of 636 residential refuse containers from Toter Wastequip, LLC., of Stateville, North Carolina, in the amount of \$32,652.00 (tax and freight included).

**BACKGROUND:**

To keep up with requests for new refuse service and to replace automated containers that have deteriorated and cannot be repaired, the Public Works Department - Refuse Division budgets funds annually for the purchase of new containers to maintain an adequate inventory.

The sole source purchase of residential refuse containers from Toter Wastequip, LLC., is being recommended due to the following:

- 1) The City has purchased thousands of refuse containers from Toter over the past few years.
- 2) Parts such as wheels and axles are interchangeable with existing inventory.
- 3) Dealing with one supplier results in improved warranty service.
- 4) Toter Wastequip, LLC., containers are dependable. The company has honored warranty issues in the past.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The FY 18/19 Refuse Division Fixed Asset Budget provides \$97,500.00 for the purchase of residential automated containers. Attached for council review is a copy of the FY 18/19 Refuse Division fixed asset budget page.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

Price Quote

Budget Page