



Memorandum

MONTEREY REGIONAL WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

Reviewed by Wmm Date 4.13.07
General Manager

DATE: April 13, 2007
TO: General Manager
FROM: Equipment Maintenance Manager
SUBJECT: Ratify Purchase of Used Flat Bed Truck for the Last Chance Mercantile.


RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Directors ratify the purchase of a used 1-ton Chevrolet flat bed truck at a total cost of \$11,600 including tax and license. The funds for this purchase were budgeted in the 2006/2007 Capital Outlay Budget.

DISCUSSION

The Capital Outlay Budget for FY 2006/2007 allocated \$20,000 for the purchase of a flat bed truck for the Last Chance Mercantile (LCM) Department. On March 13, 2007 the District purchased a used a 1999 Chevrolet flat bed truck with 30,400 miles for \$11,000, including tax and license from Gold Star Motors of Salinas, CA. This vehicle was purchased with the intention of spending an additional \$600 to construct a set of racks for the flat bed deck to contain cargo transported on this vehicle. The racks have been constructed and the truck was put into service on March 30th, for a total price of \$11,600. This vehicle will replace the 1989 GMC truck currently being used by the LCM, which is being considered as surplus equipment.

CONCLUSION

In purchasing used equipment, time is of the essence, and staff now respectfully requests Board ratification of the purchase of the flat bed truck.



Ron Mooneyham