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Date: September 4, 2024

Originator: Jack Rosevear, Fire Chief

Purpose: Approval To Sell Surplus Fire Apparatus

Desired Action by the Board: Approve Request to Sell Surplus Fire Apparatus

Supporting Documents Included: No

1. **Description:**

The District has apparatus not being used and should be sold. The District is in need of a newer model water tender (easily driven and train on) which has the ability to be under OES reimbursement for out of county and preposition deployment. We have three trucks formerly with the Eastern Plumas Rural FD and one from Beckwourth Peak FPD.

1991 Pierce Type 1 Fire Engine VIN 000582

1979 International Water Tender VIN 11313

1998 International Water Tender VIN 08449

2000 F450 Rescue Truck Ford VIN 95694

2. Reason for Recommended Board Action:

The purpose of this action is to authorize staff to sell capital equipment, not important to the operations of the District. The proceeds obtained from the sale of these vehicles would be placed in the equipment reserve fund. Staff would research the market for a suitable water tender and return to the Board for an authorization to purchase. We will continue to evaluate capital equipment, including stations and apparatus to make sure we do not accumulate too much which has little or no operational use.

3. Anticipated Impacts to the District (negative and/or positive):

There are no negative impacts to the budget or the District's operations. Three units are surplus from Eastern Plumas Rural FD and one water tender from the Beckwourth Station, which is rarely used. Raising funds for the purchase of a District owned water tender is in the best operational and financial interests of the District.

4. Impacts to the Customer:

No impact to the public with improved service if we can acquire a District owned water tender.

5. Recommendation (s):
Authorize staff to sell (1) Type 1 engine, (1) rescue truck and (2) water tenders at the best possible price.