



Village of Downers Grove

Report for the Village Council Meeting*Table 1 - Council Agenda item.*

Subject	Authorize the disposal of a surplus vehicle
Submitted By	David Moody, Director of Public Works

Synopsis

A resolution has been prepared to declare Fire Department Engine 101, a 2014 Pierce Sabre, as surplus property and to authorize disposal of such property pursuant to Section 2.35 of the Municipal Code.

Strategic Plan Alignment

The goals for 2025-2027 include *Exceptional Municipal Service*.

Fiscal Impact

Staff has negotiated a trade-in value of \$75,000 for the 2014 Pierce Sabre through MacQueen Emergency. The trade-in value will be applied as a credit toward the purchase of the 2026 Pierce Impel Pumper Apparatus that Village Council authorized on October 3, 2023.

Recommendation

Approval on the October 13, 2026 Consent Agenda.

Background

The Village Council authorized the purchase of a 2026 Pierce Impel Pumper along with the disposal of a 2008 Pierce Impel Pumper (Engine 104) at the October 3, 2023 Village Council Meeting. At the time of the purchase authorization, the disposal of Engine 104 made the most sense, since it would be the oldest fire apparatus in the fleet. However, over the last three years, Fire Department Engine 101, a 2014 Pierce Sabre, has experienced significant maintenance costs and down time for repairs.

Due to the additional maintenance costs Engine 101 has experienced, staff recommends the disposal of Engine 101 now, and the deferral of the disposal of Engine 104. Engine 104 will be disposed of in Fiscal Year 2028, when it is anticipated that the Village will take possession of and pay for the Pierce Engine/Pumper that was approved for purchase by Village Council on April 14, 2026. Engine 104 remains structurally sound, mechanically reliable, and better positioned to provide continued service to the Village.

Attachments

Resolution

Change Order

Resolution No.

A Resolution Authorizing the Disposal of Personal Property Owned by the Village of Downers Grove

WHEREAS, the Village Council of the Village of Downers Grove has determined that it is no longer necessary or useful to, or in the best interests of, the Village of Downers Grove to retain ownership of the personal property hereinafter described; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Downers Grove is a home-rule unit pursuant to the laws and constitution of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Village Council have determined it is in the best interest of the Village to dispose of the personal property.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Village Council of the Village of Downers Grove as follows:

SECTION 1. The provisions set forth in the preamble are hereby incorporated into this resolution.

SECTION 2. That pursuant to the home-rule powers of the Village, the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/11-76-4) and Section 2.35 of the Downers Grove Municipal Code the Village Council finds that the 2014 Pierce Sabre Fire Department Engine 101 now owned by the Village of Downers Grove will no longer be necessary or useful to the Village, and the best interests of the Village will be served by its sale after delivery and acceptance of the new 2026 Pierce Impel Pumper Apparatus.

SECTION 3. The Village Manager is authorized and directed to sell or dispose of the aforementioned personal property now owned by the Village of Downers Grove through trade-in to MacQueen Engineering in the amount of \$75,000, as approved by the Village Manager.

SECTION 4. The Village Manager is hereby authorized and directed to convey and transfer title to the aforesaid personal property upon payment in full.

SECTION 5. That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with the provisions of this Resolution are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage as provided by law.

By: Mayor

Passed:

Published:

Attest:

By: Village Clerk



ADDITIONS / DELETIONS CHANGE ORDER FORM



CUSTOMER: Downers Grove IL	JOB NO: 41913	DESCRIPTION: New 2026 Pierce Impel Pumper
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#	DATE	A/C/D	Pulse Number	ADDITION / DELETION DESCRIPTION	PRICE
1	10/1/26	A	NA	Trade-In of 2014 Pierce Saber Pumper, VIN 4P1CS01A1EA014223	(\$75,000.00)
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ADDITIONS / DELETIONS SUB TOTAL:	(\$75,000.00)
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APPROVAL SIGNATURE: 	DATE: 10/2/26
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