

**City of Georgetown, Texas**  
**City Council Meeting**  
**May 11, 2021**

**SUBJECT:**

Consideration and possible action to approve the purchase of two Stryker Power Load Systems from Stryker Corporation for a total cost not to exceed \$61,974.28.

**ITEM SUMMARY:**

This purchase is for two (2) Stryker power load systems that will be installed in two (2) new TRVs by the ambulance manufacturer. A 6-year maintenance agreement will be provided and include annual onsite preventive maintenance inspection and unlimited repairs including parts, labor, and travel with battery coverage.

The power load system helps boost safety by supporting the stretcher throughout the loading and unloading process. This reduces the spinal load on our firefighter/paramedics and helps prevent cumulative trauma injuries.

All our TRVs currently use Stryker equipment. Staff recommends purchasing this system to ensure we maintain a high level of continuity and protection for patients and firefighter paramedics.

A sole source letter for this system is also included.

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

Funding is allocated in 2021 budget.

100-CC0233-Fire Trucks

100-CC0402-Equipment EMS

**SUBMITTED BY:**

John Sullivan, Fire Chief

**ATTACHMENTS:**

Stryker Quote

Stryker Sole Source Letter

Power Load Photos