

**COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEAT PLEASANT, MARYLAND**

**RESOLUTION NO. R-13-06**

**Introduced By**                      **City Council**  
**Date Introduced**                    **July 30, 2012**  
**Date Adopted**                      **July 30, 2012**  
**Date Effective**                     **July 30, 2012**

**A RESOLUTION**

OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEAT PLEASANT, MARYLAND AWARDING A CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF A CODE ENFORCEMENT VEHICLE FROM CRISWELL CHEVROLET, INC.; AWARDING A CONTRACT TO PELICAN MOBILE COMPUTERS, INC FOR THE INSTALLATION OF VEHICLE AND RADIO EQUIPMENT; EXEMPTING THE PURCHASE OF THE VEHICLE AND VEHICLE EQUIPMENT FROM THE CITY'S COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH CITY CODE, SECTION 39-3; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN CONTRACTS THEREFORE

**WHEREAS**, the City of Seat Pleasant, Maryland desires to obtain a vehicle for use by its Code Enforcement Officials, which Officials currently do not have a vehicle for their use; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Maryland issued an invitation for bid for Model Year 2012 Law Enforcement Vehicles (ITB 001B2400307), in response to which it issued a contract to Criswell Performance Cars for a Standard Law Enforcement Sedan, 2012 Chevrolet Impala Executive vehicle in the amount of 17,645.00 (See Exhibit A); and

**WHEREAS**, Criswell Chevrolet, Inc. and Criswell Performance Cars have agreed to extend the terms of the State Contract to the City of Seat Pleasant; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Seat Pleasant desires to purchase one 2012 Chevrolet Impala Executive vehicle in the amount of \$17,645 for use by Code Enforcement Department; and

**WHEREAS**, St. Mary's County Government went out to Bid and awarded a contract to Pelican Mobile Computers, Inc. for the provision and installation of vehicle equipment in the County's law enforcement vehicles (SMC-08-SO-42050); and

**WHEREAS**, the City desires to piggyback onto the St. Mary's County Contract with Pelican Mobile Computers, Inc. for the installation of vehicle equipment in the new vehicle being purchased by the City for a cost of \$12,267.00 for the Code Enforcement Department vehicle; and

**WHEREAS**, any delay in obtaining the one car authorized herein will result in the City not being able to piggyback on the State Contract for it expires July 31, 2012 and will negatively impact the City Code Enforcement Officials ability to perform their duties.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY** the Council of the City of Seat Pleasant that it is the opinion of the City Council that the delay caused in going out to bid on the vehicles and equipment packages which are the subject of this Resolution will be detrimental to the welfare of the community and its citizens. Furthermore, the City Council finds that to go out to bid for these items would not result in a better price given the purchasing power of the State of Maryland and the fact that the ITB on which the City is piggybacking is a State contract for the 2012 models of the vehicles. Accordingly, the Council of the City of Seat Pleasant exempts this purchase for the competitive bidding requirements of the City.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT**, the Council of the City of Seat Pleasant authorizes the purchase of a 2012 Chevrolet Impala Executive vehicle in the amount of \$17,645.00 for use by Code Enforcement Department

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT**, that the Council of the City of Seat Pleasant authorizes the purchase of an equipment package from Pelican Mobile Computers, Inc for a 2012 Chevrolet Impala Executive vehicle as set forth in the attached in Exhibit A in the amount of \$12,267.00

**BE IT RESOLVED BY** the Council of the City of Seat Pleasant that the City Administrator is hereby authorized to execute the necessary contracts for the purchase of a Code Enforcement vehicle and equipment package authorized herein for a total cost of \$29,912, provided that the contracts are acceptable to the City Attorney.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT**, that this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

**READ AND PASSED THIS** 30th day of July, 2012.

**THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEAT PLEASANT**

ATTEST:

  
Dashaun N. Lanham, City Clerk

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
SEAT PLEASANT

  
Kelly Porter, Council President