

Donald J. Lee, Jr.
Chief of Police



Key West
POLICE DEPARTMENT

TO: Mr. Jim Scholl, City Manager
FROM: Donald J. Lee Jr., Chief of Police
DATE: November 7th, 2018
RE: **2019 Harley Davidson Motorcycle Purchase Agreement**

Pursuant to purchasing Code 2-844(a)(b) relating to Brand Name specifications, section A states: "Since the use of a brand name specification is restrictive of product competition, it may be used only when the purchasing agent makes a written determination that only the identified brand name item will satisfy the City's needs."

Additionally, section B states: "The Purchasing Agent shall seek to identify sources from which the designated brand name item can be obtained and shall solicit such sources to achieve whatever degree of price competition is practicable". If only one source can supply the requirement, the procurement shall be made under the sole source procurement provisions of section 2-797.

In this case the Harley Davidson brand of Police Motorcycles has again been selected for use by the Key West Police Department Traffic Unit. This selection was made this purchase cycle as in prior cycles based on the performance, rider training, experience and capabilities, maintenance history and service history of the Road King Police Motorcycle. The department has two in-house Harley rider instructors to train new motor officers as well. Harley Davidson meets or exceeds the performance requirements of the traffic unit. The department currently owns four additional 2017 Harleys.

There are only two authorized full-service Harley Davidson dealers in Dade and Broward Counties which are a reasonable and practical distance from Key West to obtain the required factory authorized warranty work and service. These two dealers, Peterson's Harley Davidson of Miami and Alligator Alley Harley Davidson of Sunrise have both submitted sales proposals. After comparison of the proposals, Alligator Alley Harley Davidson was chosen based on the cost savings of their proposal.

Approved,  Mark Finigan, Finance Director

11.7.18
Date

Approved,  David Sermak, Purchasing Agent

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