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**DATE:** March 12, 2015

SUBJECT: Approval to increase blanket purchase order to \$43,200 for tires from Banner Tires of Key West, Inc.

**ACTION STATEMENT:** Approving an increase to the blanket purchase order from \$25,000 to \$43,200 for vehicle tire purchase. This action would encumber the amount of \$18,200.

**BACKGROUND:** The approved FY 15 budget for fleet and transit vehicle tires is \$67,400. A blanket purchase order for Banner Tires of Key West, Inc. was approved for \$25,000 in November of 2014 (Resolution 14-321).

**PURPOSE & JUSTIFICATION:** The purchase of quality vehicle tires is essential to safety and optimal vehicle operation.

## **OPTIONS:**

- 1. Approve the increase of blanket purchase order to \$43,200 for tires.
- Disapprove the increase of blanket purchase order to \$43,200 for tires. This option could adversely impact operator and public safety.

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:** The funds for vehicle tire purchase in the amount of \$67,400 are allocated in FY 15 budget.

## RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends option # 1 to approve the increase of blanket purchase order for tires from \$25,000 to \$43,200.