

BOCC APPROVAL OCTOBER 12, 2022
BOARD OF BIDS AND CONTRACTS OCTOBER 6, 2022

2. TWO (2) MINI VANS FOR COMCARE -- FLEET MANAGEMENT / COMCARE
FUNDING -- FLEET MANAGEMENT / COMCARE

(Request sent to 95 vendors)

RFB #22-0072 S/C #Pending

		Rusty Eck Ford, Inc.	
Description	Qty.	Unit Cost	Extended Cost
Two (2) Mini Vans for COMCARE	2 Each	\$31,497.00	\$62,994.00
Total		\$62,994.00	
Make & Model		2023 Ford Transit 7 Passenger	
Order Cutoff Date		No current cutoff date as of 10/3/2022	
Delivery Date		22-28 weeks	
No Bid		Cable-Dahmer of Kansas City	Hatchett Hyundai East
		Masters Transportation	Northcutt Toyota
		Orr Nissan of Wichita, Inc.	

On the recommendation of Britt Rosencutter, on behalf of Fleet Management and COMCARE, Tim Myers moved to **accept the bid from Rusty Eck Ford, Inc. in the amount of \$62,994.00.** Greg Gann seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

These vehicles are primarily used for client transportation in various forms. COMCARE provides transportation for consumers of our services to appointments, back and forth between home/programs, to hospital if non-emergency, to shelters, and to Social Security Outreach Access and Recovery (SOAR) disability interviews. The vans will also be utilized for weekly program grocery pickups and out of town staff training transportation to reduce the need to pay mileage reimbursement to multiple staff.

COMCARE staff also visit various nursing homes across Kansas and make weekly trips to Osawatomic State Hospital and various corrections facilities for discharge planning and transporting discharged consumers back to the Wichita area. COMCARE also provides transportation for Mental Health Advocacy Day attendees.

Notes:

Fleet evaluates all vehicles and equipment up for replacement before requesting bids.

<u>Vehicle #</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Make & Model</u>	<u>VIN #</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Mileage</u>
9701	2006	Chevrolet Express 350	1GAHG39U961240617	18.2	170,058
9707	2005	Ford E350	1FDWE35L45HA10213	17.3	96,815

These are replacement vehicles. Surplus will be sold on Purple Wave.

Questions and Answers

Greg Gann: Given the wide variety of people served by these vans, is there any special accommodations that the vans have to have or are they simply just passenger vehicles?

Beau Bergeron: They are just passenger vans. The ones they are replacing are a one (1) ton small bus and a one (1) ton fourteen passenger van, which are cumbersome. You can tell by the size of them that they have trouble parking them so they wanted to go with something smaller. That's one (1) of the reasons. One (1) of them has low mileage because they never drive it because it doesn't fit their needs. They are just a small seven (7) passenger mini van.

Tim Myers: It looks like we didn't have any specific guidelines like it had to be a Ford or a Chevy. It looks like from the list that it was sent out to a variety of vendors. Is that correct?

Beau Bergeron: Yes, the only spec was they needed fold down seats so they could use it for cargo transportation as well and six (6) to seven (7) passenger mini van. It went out to everybody to bid on it.

Tim Myers: We only received one (1) bid back?

Beau Bergeron: Yes, just the one.