

Tow Vendor Franchisee List and Agreement

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BACKGROUND

- The City requires tow services in the exercise of its police powers as necessary or appropriate to the general welfare of the citizens
- Tow operators placed on the City's Rotation Tow list are permitted to provide tow services
- City ordinance #3674 authorizes Council to grant franchises for police-generated tows

PROPOSED

 The Police Department proposes the authorization of the franchise tow list and agreements with the tow vendors on the tow vendor franchisee list in substantially the same form as the Franchise Agreement for Vehicle Tow Service

BENEFIT

- Provides fast, reliable service to remove stopped, standing, parked and hazardous vehicles from public streets, roads and private property.
- The department has an average of 180 vehicles towed per month.

RECOMMENDATION

- It is recommended by the Police Department that the Council, by resolution, approve the tow vendor franchise list for police generated tow operations, approve the franchise Tow Agreement; and approve the Chief of Police or designee to sign the Tow Agreements.
- Questions?