

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION REQUEST

Please email requests to the Mayor's Legislative Team
at MileHighOrdinance@DenverGov.org by 9 **a.m. Friday**. Contact the Mayor's Legislative team with questions

Date of Request: **10/20/2025**

Please mark one: ☐ Bill Request or ☒ Resolution Request

Please mark one: The request directly impacts developments, projects, contracts, resolutions, or bills that involve property and impact within .5 miles of the South Platte River from Denver's northern to southern boundary? (Check map [HERE](#))

☐ Yes ☒ No

1. Type of Request:

☐ Contract/Grant Agreement ☐ Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) ☐ Rezoning/Text Amendment

☐ Dedication/Vacation ☐ Appropriation/Supplemental ☐ DRMC Change

☒ Other:

2. **Title:** (Start with *approves*, *amends*, *dedicates*, etc., include name of company or contractor and indicate the type of request: grant acceptance, contract execution, contract amendment, municipal code change, supplemental request, etc.)

Approves a purchase order with Braun Northwest Inc for \$554,327.00 for the one-time purchase of a 2026 North Star 277-5 Command Vehicle for Jefferson County Regional Bomb Squads (PO-00171592).

3. Requesting Agency:

Office of Emergency Management

4. Contact Person:

Contact person with knowledge of proposed ordinance/resolution (e.g., subject matter expert)	Contact person for council members or mayor-council
Name: Tim Marquez	Name: Jubal Vafeades
Email: tim.marquez@denvergov.org	Email: jubal.vafeades@denvergov.org

5. General description or background of proposed request. Attach executive summary if more space needed:

The Office of Emergency Management is seeking to replace outdated and inadequate bomb squad vehicle currently used by the Jefferson County Regional Bomb Squads with purpose-built, state-of-the-art EOD response vehicles. The existing vehicles have exceeded their serviceable life, suffer from increasing mechanical and technical failures, and no longer meet the operational, safety, or equipment demands of modern bomb squad missions.

6. City Attorney assigned to this request (if applicable):

Brian Martin

7. City Council District:

N/A

8. ****For all contracts, fill out and submit accompanying Key Contract Terms worksheet****

To be completed by Mayor's Legislative Team:

Resolution/Bill Number: _____

Date Entered: _____

Key Contract Terms

Type of Contract: (e.g. Professional Services > \$500K; IGA/Grant Agreement, Sale or Lease of Real Property):

Purchase Order – PO-00171592.

Vendor/Contractor Name (including any dba's): Braun Northwest Inc

Contract control number (legacy and new): PO-00171592

Location: Jefferson County

Is this a new contract? ☒ Yes ☐ No **Is this an Amendment?** ☐ Yes ☒ No **If yes, how many?** _____

Contract Term/Duration (for amended contracts, include existing term dates and amended dates):

This is a one-time purchase order for one (1) 2026 North Star 277-5 Command Vehicle.

Contract Amount (indicate existing amount, amended amount and new contract total):

<i>Current Contract Amount</i> (A)	<i>Additional Funds</i> (B)	<i>Total Contract Amount</i> (A+B)
\$554,327.00		\$554,327.00

<i>Current Contract Term</i>	<i>Added Time</i>	<i>New Ending Date</i>

Scope of work:

This purchase seeking to replace outdated and inadequate bomb squad vehicle currently used by Jefferson County Regional Bomb Squad with purpose-built, state-of-the-art EOD response vehicles. The existing vehicle has exceeded its serviceable life, suffer from increasing mechanical and technical failures, and no longer meet the operational, safety, or equipment demands of modern bomb squad missions. The new vehicle will be specifically designed to support high-risk explosive and tactical response operations, enhance regional and national response capabilities, and ensure compliance with FBI and NBSCAB standards. Equipped with advanced technologies, robotics, x-ray systems, and command post functionality, these vehicles will significantly improve reliability, adaptability to emerging threats, and coordination across jurisdictions. This investment strengthens the broader emergency response infrastructure across the North Central Region and Colorado Front Range, ensuring public safety and operational readiness in both urban and rural environments.

Was this contractor selected by competitive process? No
HGAC AM10-23.

If not, why not? Pursuant to Cooperative Contract

Has this contractor provided these services to the City before? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Source of funds:

12100 Homeland Security Grants

Is this contract subject to: ☐ W/MBE ☐ DBE ☐ SBE ☐ XO101 ☐ ACDBE ☒ N/A

WBE/MBE/DBE commitments (construction, design, Airport concession contracts):

Who are the subcontractors to this contract? N/A

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