

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-47

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE REPAIR OF THE TRUCK LIFT

WHEREAS, the Mohawk truck lift was purchased in 2001 and is an important piece of equipment for the safe maintenance of the dump trucks and other large vehicles; and

WHEREAS, one of the four motors that lift simultaneously failed while a dump truck was raised; and

WHEREAS, the mechanic consulted with several firms to replace that single motor, but has been advised that those motors are no longer supported because they are a “gravity down” motor instead of the current “hydraulic down” system that is a safer design; and

WHEREAS, it was determined there are only two firms in Michigan that are authorized to service the Mohawk brand, and quotes were received to replace all four power units, replacing eight column lift wheels and two housing cable mounts that need repair; and

WHEREAS, the two quotes were \$9,709.00 and \$12,267.80; and

WHEREAS, the cost of a new lift would be more than \$35,000.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED That the City Council approve the repair of the Mohawk lift by All Automotive Equipment, Inc. in the amount of \$ 9,709.00 and it be paid for from the Motor Vehicle Pool Fund reserves.