

# **City of Grand Island**

Tuesday, January 13, 2015 Council Session

# Item G-9

# **#2015-6 - Approving Purchase of a New Street Sweeper for the Streets Division of the Public Works Department**

Staff Contact: John Collins, P.E. - Public Works Director

# **Council Agenda Memo**

From:	Shannon Callahan, Street Superintendent
Meeting:	January 13, 2015
Subject:	Approving Purchase of a New Street Sweeper for the Streets Division of the Public Works Department
Item #'s:	G-9
Presenter(s):	John Collins PE, Public Works Director

### **Background**

The Streets Division's Street Sweeping program consists of four Street Sweepers that sweep the entire City (curb and gutter streets) once in the spring and once in the fall. The other months of the year a single Street Sweeper is used to sweep routes and other locations as needed. The Street Sweepers are also used to sweep specific areas including downtown before special events such as parades and fun runs.

Unit 242 is a 1997 Elgin Street Sweeper currently has 10,653 hours and the repairs to purchase ratio is 1.08. This unit is due for replacement and the new street sweeper will be moved to the front-line position, logging the most hours each year, and the current front-line machine will be used as a seasonal unit. The Streets Division has funds approved in the 2014-2015 FY budget to purchase a Street Sweeper.

## **Discussion**

To meet competitive bidding requirements, the Streets Division obtained contract pricing from the Admin Minnesota Cooperative Purchasing Venture Release No. S-843(5). A 2015 Elgin Pelican meets the requirements and was chosen by the Streets Division for the following reasons:

1. All four currently-owned street sweepers are Elgin Pelicans so the equipment operators and mechanics are already familiar and specifically trained in the use, operation, maintenance, and repair of these machines. This leads to less downtime for training and repairs.

- 2. Annual training is available locally for operators/mechanics on Elgin Pelicans which allows them to stay current with any issues.
- 3. Spare parts are already on-hand for the Pelicans and maintaining consistency for this equipment will also reduce downtime and keep the amount of spare parts in inventory to a minimum.

The 2015 Elgin Pelican Street Sweeper was awarded as Contract No. 83362 to MacQueen Equipment of St. Paul, MN for the total price of \$209,555 with a trade-in value of \$20,000 for a net purchase price of \$189,555.

## **Alternatives**

It appears that the Council has the following alternatives concerning the issue at hand. The Council may:

- 1. Move to approve
- 2. Refer the issue to a Committee
- 3. Postpone the issue to future date
- 4. Take no action on the issue

# **Recommendation**

City Administration recommends that the Council approve the purchase of a 2015 Elgin Pelican Street Sweeper from MacQueen Equipment of St. Paul, MN for the total price of \$209,555 with a trade-in value of \$20,000 for a net purchase price of \$189,555.

## **Sample Motion**

Move to approve the purchase of a 2015 Elgin Pelican Street Sweeper from MacQueen Equipment of St. Paul, MN for the total price of \$209,555 with a trade-in value of \$20,000 for a net purchase price of \$189,555.



# PELICAN<sup>®</sup> - LEGENDARY, DEPENDABLE PERFORMANCE.

To assure that the legendary Elgin Pelican continues to meet the needs of its customers and the industry, Elgin Sweeper raised the bar again and set a new benchmark for the industry standard. Based on a design that has been continually improved since 1914, the newest Pelican model combines maneuverability, economy, serviceability, and single-lane dumping with a sweep system that easily handles heavy, compacted dirt and bulky debris, as well as smaller particles found in the street. If you need an all-around sweeper with incredible digging power the Pelican is the perfect solution.

- Isolation-mounted cab for cleaner, quieter, more comfortable operation
- Improved 360° visibility
- Incredible ease of operation
- Superior durability, stability, and maneuverability
- Easy access for service and maintenance

Customized with your choice of options, the Pelican is a durable, reliable answer to your sweeper needs.



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#### UNIQUE SINGLE-ENGINE THREE-WHEEL DESIGN

The durable purpose-built chassis features a compact frame to maximize maneuverability and position the load low and between front wheels for stability. The high steering angle and tight turning radius allow sweeping extremely close to obstacles and following curb lines.

#### POWERFUL BROOM SYSTEM

Hydraulically-driven free-floating side and main brooms work as a system to sweep material from the curb and street into the debris hopper. Side brooms protrude up to 13 in (330 mm) beyond the tire to capture more curb debris. The large main broom features variable-speed and down-pressure to adapt to changing conditions and follow road contours.

#### **NO-JAM CONVEYOR**

The Pelican's exclusive No-Jam conveyor features molded-in full-width cleats that carry more large debris as well as small fines efficiently into the hopper. Material loads to the front first to allow maximum use of the 3.5 cu yd (2.7 cu m) hopper.

#### 360° VISIBILITY AND OPERATOR ERGONOMICS

The Pelican's isolation-mounted cab provides a clean, quiet, and comfortable environment for the operator. Large windows, see-through doors and full-width windshield allow for 360° degree visibility.

#### **EASY MAINTENANCE**

Access to service points is simple with most accessible from ground-level. O-ring face seal hydraulic fittings are used and the electrical system features snap-together connections and color-coded wires for guick identification. The unit is equipped with a combination of in-cab and site gauges to monitor fluid levels.

#### **ECOINFUSED<sup>™</sup> TECHNOLOGY**

Elgin Sweeper has made advancing the use of cleaner, safer, and more efficient technologies for sweeping roads and streets a priority, with innovations that provide the powerful performance, fuel economy and overall value our municipal and contractor customers demand. Today's environmentally efficient Pelican is designed with exclusive EcoInfused Technology, representing years of unmatched innovation and success combining the science of horsepower management with the ability to do more with less.



# DURABLE, RELIABLE, AND EASY TO USE



**DURABLE, PURPOSE-BUILT CHASSIS** 

The Pelican's heavy-duty construction and compact frame ensures a tight turning radius and years of reliable, low-maintenance operation. A balanced design provides stable sweeping and dumping. The hopper load is positioned low between the two front wheels for stability and safety. The axle support and hopper lift system are integral parts of the chassis.

#### **OUTSTANDING MANEUVERABILITY**

The Pelican's high steering angle and tight turning radius allows for quick turns, sweeping extremely close to obstacles and following curbs without climbing or scuffing tires. Dual-tire guide wheels increase stability and steering traction.

#### EFFICIENT, COMFORTABLE CAB

The clean, quiet and spacious isolation-mounted cab features large windows, wide see-through doors and a full-width windshield for 360° visibility. The center console is easily accessed from both left and right driving positions. Fingertip controls include illuminated and graphically identified gauges and rocker switches.

#### SPRUNG GUIDE WHEEL

The shock-absorbing, two-spring suspension design increases comfort in the cab while reducing stress on the sweeper frame-especially when operating in pothole conditions or on rough, uneven roads.

#### SINGLE ENGINE POWERED

The Pelican is powered by the John Deere 4045T, 4 cylinder, turbocharged diesel engine. The engine is capable of operating on bio-diesel up to B20.

#### LOW-MAINTENANCE DRIVE SYSTEM

Featuring a unique wheel motor design that delivers outstanding power with minimal maintenance, the Pelican can handle steep grades with no problem. Integrated sensors provide precise road speed measurement and adjust power requirements according to the load.

#### **HEAVY-DUTY BRAKE SYSTEM**

The Pelican features three caliper, power disc brakes and a dynamic braking design that significantly reduces wear on service brakes. All brake components are easy to access and economical to maintain.

#### HYDRAULIC SWEEP SYSTEM

Controlled by engine RPM and operated independently of ground speed and direction, the Pelican's broom speed provides digging power at slow or zero ground speeds. A foot pedal controls speed and sweeper direction through the hydrostatic transmission.





# SUPERIOR MECHANICAL SWEEPER DESIGN

The 35 in x 66 in (889 mm x 1676 mm) hydraulically driven polypropylene main broom features variable speed (variable with engine RPM) for optimal sweeping in changing conditions. To protect the broom mechanism, the broom raises automatically when the sweeper is reversed and is returned to its sweep position and previously set down

Hydraulically driven side brooms are rugged construction, 36 in (914 mm) in diameter and protrude up to 13 in (330 mm) beyond the outside

The exclusive conveyor system features molded-in full width cleats that move large debris without jamming. High-strength belt material on the conveyor delivers long wear for maximum uptime. An optional built-in

The Pelican's front dump hopper is ideal for single-lane dumping, which

observed from the cab by lifting and rolling the hopper. The hopper's 3.5 cu yd (2.7 cu m), 9,000 lb (4082 kg) capacity provides maximum sweep time. For easy inspection, the hopper rolls out and rests on the ground.

ensures minimal traffic interruption. The hopper can be dumped from ground level up to 9 ft 6 in (2895 mm) high. The load can be easily

of the tire while sweeping to capture more gutter debris.

pressure when a forward direction is resumed.

washdown provides quick and easy clean-up.

VARIABLE HEIGHT FRONT DUMP HOPPER





#### **CORROSION-RESISTANT WATER SYSTEM**

A corrosion-resistant polyethylene water tank supplies the dust suppression system with 220 gallons (833 L) of water. The exclusive Elgin water pump can run dry without damaging the machine's water system. For operator convenience and ease of maintenance, a water-level gauge is visible from the cab.

#### EASE OF MAINTENANCE

Easy servicing lowers ownership costs and increases sweeper usage. O-ring face seal hydraulic fittings assure leak-free connections, while the electrical system's weatherproof snap-together connectors and stamped color-coded wires allow for quick identification. To ensure easy monitoring of fluid levels, the hydraulic tank directly behind the cab features a sight glass inspection tube.

#### **MEMORY SWEEP®**

Elgin's exclusive Memory Sweep feature allows the operator to resume all previous sweeper settings, even broom tilt if so equipped, with one touch control. This feature enhances operator productivity and reduces operator fatigue. Memory Sweep incorporates a multi-screen display that indicates engine hours and water tank level as well as system diagnostics. This screen also displays optional features such as broom tilt angle and broom hours.



MAIN BROOM

SIDE BROOM

**NO-JAM DEBRIS CONVEYOR** 



# WATERLESS PELICAN







The Pelican with optional dry dust control maintains all the popular features and sweeping performance that have made the Pelican the best selling three-wheel sweeper–without the use of water for dust suppression. This means increased pick-up of fine particles over traditional, wet dust control sweepers, proven reliable year-round sweeping and significant water conservation.

#### DRY DUST CONTROL SYSTEM

The Pelican with dry dust control features a patented system that includes a dust skirting system, dust separator in the hopper, and a dust control fan with a maintenance-free filter, working together to control fugitive dust without the use of spray water. The Pelican's waterless dust control system means operators sweep more and spend less time filling tanks enhancing productivity. Without water, mud doesn't build up on components, reducing clean-up time at the end of the shift. Since there is no water, sweeping in freezing weather conditions is possible which helps meet the growing demand for quick pick-up of winter-time road sand, salt, and cinders. Perhaps the most important benefits are those for the environment including a smaller water footprint, as well as reduced road silt that can be left as a film from waterbased dust control sweepers.



#### PATENTED FILTRATION SYSTEM

The powerful vacuum system on the sweeper creates an air stream through the debris hopper, conveyor, and skirted areas. The inward rushing air carries the airborne dust into the debris hopper where it's allowed to settle out with the rest of the swept debris. A majority of the fugitive dust falls into the hopper with only a fraction of the dust making it to the filter. When the filter becomes loaded, it can be mechanically cleaned with an on-board cleaning system so sweeping can continue. A long life, low maintenance, dry filter element is installed between the debris hopper and the fan.

\*Industrial Pelican Option Available - consult factory for details.

# **OPTIONAL ENHANCEMENTS**



LIGHTING PACKAGES A variety of lighting packages are available for the Pelican to enhance safety and visibility.



LIFELINER<sup>®</sup> HOPPER SYSTEM The LifeLiner<sup>®</sup> system is a specially designed hopper liner and finish system that greatly improves the life, durability, and functionality of a sweeper hopper.



LIMB GUARD

• Engine pre-cleaner

In-cab side broom tilt

Heavy-duty guards surround cab and protect sweeper by guiding lowhanging tree limbs up and over the Pelican. Available in right hand, left hand, or dual configuration.

### ADDITIONAL OPTIONS

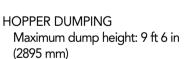
- Auto-Lube automatic lubrication system Air conditioner
- Conveyor, lower roller washout
- Air suspension seat(s)
  - SPECIFICATIONS:

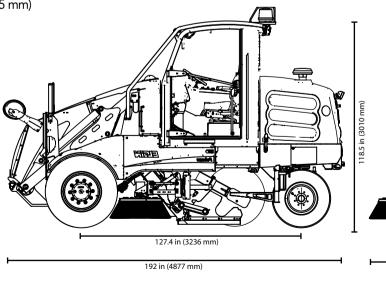
SWEEPING PATH One side broom 8 ft (2438 mm) Two side brooms 10 ft (3048 mm)

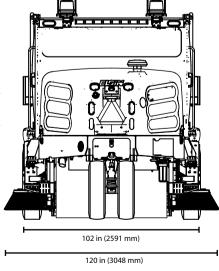
HOPPER CAPACITY Volumetric Capacity: 3.5 cu yds (2.7 cu m) TRAVEL SPEED 20 mph (32 Km/h)

• Cold weather start aid

WATER SPRAY SYSTEM Tank capacity: 220 gal. (833 L) ENGINE (make and type) John Deere 4045T Horsepower 74 hp (55 kW) @ 2,400 RPM Tier 4 interim low emission diesel \*Tier 3 model dependant







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INTO THE FUTURE Our dealers don't just sell you an Elgin; they're available to answer your questions and provide service for the life of the machine.



### WARRANTY

Elgin Sweeper Company backs the Pelican sweeper with a one-year limited warranty. The Pelican is warranted against defects in material or workmanship for a period of 12 months from the date of delivery to the original purchaser. Optional extended warranty packages are available. Consult your Elgin dealer for complete warranty information. The ESCO/FSM warranty shall not apply to major components or trade accessories such as, but not limited to, trucks, engines, hydraulic pumps and motors, tires, and batteries that have a separate warranty by the original manufacturer.



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#### RESOLUTION 2015-6

WHEREAS, the Admin Minnesota Cooperative Purchasing Venture was utilized to secure competitive bids for one (1) New Street Sweeper for the Streets Division of the Public Works Department; and

WHEREAS, the Admin Minnesota Cooperative Purchasing Venture Release No. S-843(5), Contract No. 83362 was awarded to MacQueen Equipment of St. Paul, MN; and

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department has recommended the purchase of a 2015 Elgin Pelican Street Sweeper from MacQueen Equipment of St. Paul, MN for total price of \$209,555 with a trade-in allowance of \$20,000 for a net purchase price of \$189,555.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA, that a purchase order and subsequent payment is authorized for the New Street Sweeper purchase from MacQueen Equipment of St. Paul, MN is hereby approved.

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Adopted by the City Council of the City of Grand Island, Nebraska, January 13, 2015.

Jeremy L. Jensen, Mayor

Attest:

RaNae Edwards, City Clerk

Approved as to Form ¤\_\_\_\_\_ January 9, 20152 ¤ City Attorney