

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARFORD COUNTY**

**INFORMATIONAL REPORT**

**DECISION ON THE PURCHASE OF TWO DUMP TRUCKS WITH SALT**

**SPREADER AND SNOW PLOW**

**June 8, 2009**

Background Information:

The Purchasing Department is requesting Board approval to award a contract to Bare Truck Center Inc. ,821 Baltimore Blvd., Westminster Maryland 21157, for the purchase of two 2010 Model, International, ten-ton, single axle dump trucks with salt spreader and snow plow. Each truck will cost \$123,400 for a total contract amount of \$246,800.00

Discussion:

The Transportation Department is requesting the purchase of two new dump trucks with snow plow and salt spreader to replace worn equipment that is beyond its life cycle and is too costly to repair. The new equipment will be purchased off of a Carroll County Fleet Bid recently awarded to Bare Truck. Estimated delivery is 6 to 8 weeks following receipt of a purchase order. This will be charged to a capital fund account 360-9075-0301-55820.

Superintendent's Recommendation:

The Interim Superintendent of Schools recommends that the Board of Education approve a contract with Bare Truck for two new ten-ton dump trucks with snow plows and salt spreaders.