

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
THE TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL**

ORDINANCE NO. 3338

(BILL NO. 3-2024)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A PROPOSAL FOR PURCHASE OF THREE (3) 2024 FORD F350 4X4 TRUCKS FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3.20 IN THE HOME RULE CHARTER WHICH REQUIRES AUTHORIZATION OF ACQUISITIONS IN EXCESS OF \$25,000 BY ORDINANCE. (FIRE)

WHEREAS, the Township of Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, is desirous of purchasing three new 2024 Ford F350 4x4 trucks with snowplows and spreaders and lift gates for the Bureau of Public Works as a purchase approved in the 2024 Budget; and

WHEREAS, said proposals, which was secured through the Co-Stars Process, have been thoroughly reviewed by the Bureau of Public Works and Township staff; and

WHEREAS, the bid of Manderbach Ford of Hamburg, PA has been judged by the staff to meet the bid specifications and provide the most economical response to the Township's needs for the vehicles; and

WHEREAS, said apparatus is available for purchase through a recognized and approved Commonwealth bidding process, under the Co-Stars Program (E25 E22 473); and

WHEREAS, the bid of E.M. Kutz, Inc. of Whitehall, PA has been judged by the staff to meet the bid specifications and provide the most economical response to the Township's needs for plows and spreaders and lift gates; and

WHEREAS, said equipment is available for purchase through a recognized and approved Commonwealth bidding process, under the Co-Stars Program (#025-E22-399).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Whitehall, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, in accordance with the requirements of Section 3.20 of the Home Rule Charter, that the Township hereby accepts the bids of Manderbach Ford and E.M. Kutz, Inc. as follows:

<u>Manderbach Ford</u>	3 Vehicles @ \$53,245.00	
Less Discount	3 Vehicles @ \$ 2,845.00	
TOTAL	3 Vehicles @ \$50,400.00	\$151,200.00
<u>E.M. Kutz, Inc.</u>	Snow Plows 3 @ \$8,100.00	\$24,300.00
	Spreaders 2 @ \$8,700.00	\$17,400.00
	Lift Gate 1 @ \$3,700.00	\$ 3,700.00
	TOTAL	\$45,400.00

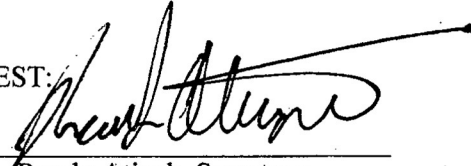
ORDAINED AND ENACTED this 8TH day of January, 2024, by the Board of Commissioners of Whitehall Township in lawful session duly assembled.

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
TOWNSHIP OF WHITEHALL**


BY: 
Thomas Slonaker, President

1/8/2024
Date

ATTEST:


Randy Atiyeh, Secretary

AND NOW, TO WIT, this 9 day of January, 2024, the above is approved.


Joseph J. Marx, Jr., Mayor