

RESOLUTION NO. 2026

COUNCIL MEMBER --- INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION:

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLAIR, NEBRASKA, AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT AND RELATED OUTFITTING FOR A POLICE DEPARTMENT VEHICLE.

WHEREAS, the City of Blair previously authorized the purchase of a police patrol vehicle for use by the Blair Police Department; and

WHEREAS, in order for the vehicle to be placed into service, the vehicle must be outfitted with emergency lighting, communications equipment, graphics, and other specialized law enforcement equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Blair Police Department has historically utilized EVO Outfitters of Waterloo, Nebraska, for the outfitting of police and fire department vehicles; and

WHEREAS, EVO Outfitters has provided quality workmanship, timely service, and local support for adjustments and maintenance of emergency vehicle equipment; and

WHEREAS, at the request of the Mayor, competitive pricing was obtained for the outfitting of the police vehicle; and

WHEREAS, a proposal was also received from Jones Automotive of Omaha, Nebraska, and the proposal submitted by EVO Outfitters was determined to be the most advantageous to the City based upon cost, quality of work, service history, proximity, and turnaround time; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that acceptance of the proposal from EVO Outfitters is in the best interest of the City and is necessary to place the police vehicle into service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLAIR, NEBRASKA, AS FOLLOWS:

The City Council hereby authorizes the purchase and installation of emergency vehicle equipment, graphics, communications equipment, and related vehicle outfitting for the police patrol vehicle and approves the proposal submitted by EVO Outfitters authorizing City staff to proceed with the purchase and installation of the equipment in accordance with the submitted quotation.

The Mayor, City Clerk, and appropriate City officials are authorized to execute all documents and take all actions necessary to complete the purchase and outfitting of the vehicle.

COUNCIL MEMBER --- MOVED THAT THE RESOLUTION BE ADOPTED AS READ, WHICH SAID MOTION WAS SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER ---- UPON ROLL CALL, COUNCIL MEMBERS ----- VOTING "AYE" AND COUNCIL MEMBERS --- VOTING 'NAY", THE MAYOR DECLARED THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 27TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2026.

CITY OF BLAIR, NEBRASKA

BY: _____
MELINDA K. RUMP, MAYOR

ATTEST:

BRENDA WHEELER, CITY CLERK

(SEAL)

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
) ss:
WASHINGTON COUNTY)

BRENDA WHEELER hereby certifies that she is the duly appointed, qualified and acting City Clerk of the City of Blair, Nebraska, and that the above and foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council of said City, held on the 27th day of October 2026.

BRENDA WHEELER, CITY CLERK