



## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

**DATE:** December 16, 2016  
**FROM:** Carl D. Hokenstad, AICP, Director of Community Development  
**ITEM:** Disposal of Three (3) Transit Fleet Vehicles

### REQUEST

Bis-Man Transit requests permission to dispose of three (3) Transit fleet vehicles.

Please place this item on the December 27, 2016 City Commission meeting.

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Three Bis-Man Transit fleet StarTrans Ford vehicles were replaced in October 2016 as they had all exceeded their useful life as determined by FTA (Federal Transit Administration) in both vehicle age and mileage.

Bis-Man Transit is requesting permission to dispose of them. They will be advertised and sold to the highest bid received within a specified time period.

The estimated value for each of the vehicles is below the threshold set by FTA, thereby eliminating the need for FTA approval of their disposal.

### RECOMMENDED CITY COMMISSION ACTION

Approval to dispose of the three StarTrans Ford vehicles.

### STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

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Request for Disposal of Vehicles:

The following vehicles are past their useful life of 7 years or 200,000 miles. We would like to dispose of these three vehicles that were replaced in October 2016. The maintenance cost due to the age and mileage of the vehicles has increased and the appraisal value does not warrant continued repairs.

Vehicle 32: 2004 Ford Startrans with 302,409 miles. VIN# 1FDXE45P04HA58884

Appraisal Value \$1,200.00

Vehicle 42: 2005 Ford Startrans with 260,337 miles. VIN# 1FDXE45P65HA66585

Appraisal Value \$1,400.00

Vehicle 57: 2001 Ford Startrans with 346,818 miles. VIN# 1FDXE45F31HA36302

Appraisal Value \$1,000.00