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TO: KEITH ALLEN, Senior Buyer

FROM: Tina Spallo, Deputy Director, Park Operations

SUBJECT: Recommendation Memo Heavy Equipment Purchase

DATE: July 16, 2025

Pursuant to section 1054.6 of the Jackson County Code, the Parks + Rec Department recommends awarding the purchase of (1) John Deere RC7M Rotary Cutter, (1) John Deere 5105M Utility Tractor and (2) John Deere Z997R Diesel Mowers to Van-Wall Equipment, Inc. of Lenexa, KS. under the terms and conditions of Sourcewell Ag Tractors Contract #082923-DAC (5105M Tractor) and Sourcewell Grounds Maintenance Contract #112624-DAC (Z997R Mowers).

The tractor will be used to perform 15’ mowing throughout vast areas of Fleming Park, the Little Blue Trace Trail, Landal Park, and Blue and Gray Park and replaces a unit which was stolen in 2024.

The mowers will replace two zero-turn mowers that have surpassed their useful life and require extensive expensive repairs. This model was chosen as it is versatile and can mow in limited space areas. These will primarily be used in Fleming Park.

Actual Cost to the County is:

RC7M Rotary Cutter	\$5,588.28
5105M Tractor	\$67,470.56
Z997R Mowers	<u>\$51,793.28</u>
	\$124,852.12

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