

Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority
Board Action/Information Summary

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TITLE:

6K Series Truck & Bolster Subassembly Procurement

PURPOSE:

Request approval to initiate and award a sole source contract to Atchison Casting Corporation to provide the Authority with twelve (12) spare truck & bolster subassemblies for the 6000 series railcars.

DESCRIPTION:

The railcar manufacturer, Alstom, has provided five (5) complete truck assemblies under the spare parts provision of the 6000 Series Railcar Procurement Contract (Contract TC6000). The main components of the complete truck assembly include the truck & bolster subassembly, traction motors, gear boxes, wheels, brake calipers, and leveling device. The Authority has determined that twelve (12) additional truck & bolster subassemblies are required for spares and as floating stock for supporting future overhaul programs on the 6000 series railcar truck assemblies.

Atchison Casting Corporation is the original equipment manufacturer (OEM) for the truck & bolster subassembly that has the required tooling to supply this truck assembly component to Alstom on the 6000 Series Railcar Procurement Contract. The 6000 series railcars are designed and constructed to accommodate only the truck & bolster subassembly manufactured by Atchison Casting Corporation, and no other supplier of truck & bolster subassemblies can be used.

The cost for each truck & bolster subassembly purchased from Atchison Casting Corporation will be \$55,000.00, which will total \$660,000.00 for the procurement of twelve (12) subassemblies. This cost will be subject to negotiation and audit review.

FUNDING IMPACT:

Action with Funding from One Fiscal Year

Program: **Capital Improvement Program**

Project: 6000 Series Rail Car

Budget: **229,080,000.00**

This Action: 660,000.00

Prior Approval: 206,695,075.71

Remaining
Budget: 21,724,924.29

Remarks: None

Operating Budget
Impact: None

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval to initiate and award a sole source contract to Atchison Casting Corporation to provide the Authority with twelve (12) spare truck & bolster subassemblies for the 6000 series railcars.