



INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA
M E M O R A N D U M
Department of General Service /
Sandridge Golf

TO: Indian River County Board of Commissioners
THROUGH: Michael C. Zito, Interim County Administrator
FROM: Bela Nagy, Sandridge Golf Club Golf Professional
DATE: January 4, 2023
SUBJECT: Approval of Advance Purchase of Golf Cart Fleet

DISCUSSION

Sandridge Golf Club has owned and maintained a fleet of 160 Yamaha Golf Cars for the last three years as well as a driving range cart, utility cart and beverage cart. Historically, the golf course has purchased the golf carts and kept them for a forty-eight month period before trading them in for a new fleet. Staff has been made aware by the three major manufacturers, Yamaha, Club Car and EZ Go, that they are all experiencing extensive delays in manufacturing, due to the rising cost and shortage of materials. With the current build time estimated at a minimum of 12 months (with possible other unforeseen delays), any orders placed today would put the delivery well into FY 2023/2024.

Although the funds would not be expended until delivery, staff is requesting the Board's approval to issue a Request for Proposals now, for the purchase of the new golf cart fleet, so that the order can be placed with expected delivery by next January 2024. A selection committee will be established to evaluate the proposals and make recommendation of award for the Board's consideration.

FUNDING:

Funding for the new fleet will be reflected in the 2023/2024 fiscal budget for the golf course in the Sandridge/Golf Carts account, number 418-166018. The estimated cost is approximately \$350,000 for the entire fleet, but may differ when the bids are received as the actual cost is contingent on the current fleet's trade-in value. The cost for the current fleet in 2019 was \$316,900.00 after the trade credit.

Account Name	Account Number	Est. Amount
Sandridge/Golf Carts	418-166018	\$350,000

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Board authorize the Purchasing Division to issue a Request for Proposals for 160 gasoline golf carts, utility cart, range cart and beverage cart.

APPROVED AGENDA ITEM FOR JANUARY 17, 2023