INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Emergency Services District Board of Commissioners

THROUGH: Jason E. Brown, County Administrator

THROUGH: John King, Director of Emergency Services

FROM: Brian Burkeen, Assistant Chief

DATE: February 16, 2017

SUBJECT: Approval to Purchase Two (2) Complete Hurst Jaws of Life Power Units

from MES, Municipal Emergency Services

It is respectfully requested that the information contained herein be given formal consideration by the District Board of Commissioners at the next scheduled meeting.

DESCRIPTIONS AND CONDITIONS

Staff is seeking to purchase two (2) complete Hurst Jaws of Life Power Units to replace two (2) outdated units that are currently assigned to the fire apparatus. The Hurst Jaws of Life equipment is found on each fire apparatus throughout the fleet and are beginning to reach their end of life usage. There are two vendors within the State of Florida for Hurst equipment, MES, Municipal Emergency Services and Team Equipment. Staff has obtained price quotes from both vendors for the proposed purchase of two (2) replacement Hurst Jaws of Life units. The lowest price quote comes from MES, Municipal Emergency Services and is attached to this request. These replacement units are in the FY 2016/2017 Approved Budget. This will be a multi-year replacement program to ensure that fiscal responsibility is maintained throughout the process.

FUNDING:

Funding for two (2) Complete Hurst Jaws of Life Power Units is in the FY 2016/2017 approved capital budget from the Emergency Services District funds as follows:

ITEM	Amount	Account Number
(2) Hurst Jaws of Life Units	\$61,700.00	11412022-066490

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the purchase of two (2) Hurst Jaws of Life Power Units Complete.

ATTACHMENTS:

Price Quote from MES, Municipal Emergency Services