Voting Session
Single Reading Ordinance Authorizing the Purchase of Emergency Equipment for Police Vehicles.

Recommended Council Action
Approve the ordinance.

Context with Key Issues
The City Council authorized the purchase of five replacement police vehicles on July 25, 2018. The cost to equip the newly purchased vehicles with emergency lights, sirens, computer docks and related equipment is $68,860. The ordinance would authorize an agreement with Priority Install for the purchase and installation of the equipment. This price is based on a competitively bid Maryland State contract with the vendor.

Council Priority
A Livable Community for All

Environmental Considerations
The proposed vehicles are more efficient than the vehicles to be replaced.

Fiscal Considerations
The total cost for purchase and installation is $68,860.

Racial Equity Considerations
Equipping the vehicles will not disproportionately impact any particular group.

Attachments and Links
- Draft Single Reading Ordinance Authorizing the Purchase of Emergency Equipment for Police Vehicles

CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND
ORDINANCE NO. 2018-

AUTHORIZATION TO PURCHASE AND INSTALL EQUIPMENT
FOR FIVE POLICE VEHICLES

WHEREAS,   the FY 2019 budget includes funding for the purchase and equipping of Police Department vehicles; and

WHEREAS,   each of the cars will need to be appropriately equipped with emergency lights, sirens, computer docks and related equipment; and

WHEREAS,   the quoted price of $68,860 is based on a competitively bid Maryland State contract with Priority Install

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TAKOMA PARK, MARYLAND THAT:

SECTION 1.   The City Manager or her designee is authorized to enter into an agreement with Prioity Install for the purchase and installation of equipment for five vehicles at a total cost of $68,860.

SECTION 2.   This Ordinance shall be effective immediately.

Adopted this _____ day of _____, 2018 by roll-call vote as follows:

AYE:
NAY:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT: