



# Board of County Commissioners Agenda Request

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Agenda Item #

**Requested Meeting Date:** 3-28-2017

**Title of Item:** Equipment Purchase - Air Compressor for Sign Truck

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REGULAR AGENDA <input type="checkbox"/> CONSENT AGENDA <input type="checkbox"/> INFORMATION ONLY	<b>Action Requested:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approve/Deny Motion <input type="checkbox"/> Adopt Resolution (attach draft) <i>*provide copy of hearing notice that was published</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Direction Requested <input type="checkbox"/> Discussion Item <input type="checkbox"/> Hold Public Hearing*
<b>Submitted by:</b> John Welle		<b>Department:</b> Highway Department
<b>Presenter (Name and Title):</b> John Welle, Aitkin County Engineer		<b>Estimated Time Needed:</b> 10 minutes
<b>Summary of Issue:</b> <p>On January 24, 2017, purchase of a new highway sign installation flatbed truck was authorized. Acquisition of this vehicle is in process, with delivery expected in early April.</p> <p>When the existing sign truck was programmed for replacement in previous years, it was an oversight on our part not to include the cost of a new air compressor that is permanently mounted on this vehicle. The air compressor is used to power both the air hammer that's used to drive posts and the jack hammer that's used for various tasks. The existing compressor is a very old model that would require significant repairs to the motor and compressor and no longer provides the capacity needed to run this equipment.</p> <p>Quotes were solicited for a 700 cfm (cubic feet per minute) compressor with 100 psi continuous output.</p> <p>Boss Industries - La Porte, Indiana: \$7,995          Summit Equipment Outlet - Marco Island, Florida: \$7,371</p>		
<b>Alternatives, Options, Effects on Others/Comments:</b>  		
<b>Recommended Action/Motion:</b> Recommend authorization by motion to purchase the Vanair Viper G70A model from Summit Equipment Outlet for the quoted price of \$7,371.		
<b>Financial Impact:</b> Is there a cost associated with this request? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No What is the total cost, with tax and shipping? \$ 7,371 Is this budgeted? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <i>Please Explain:</i> See summary above. Cost will be included in 2018 Capital Equipment Replacement Budget.		

Legally binding agreements must have County Attorney approval prior to submission.