



**Agenda Item:** Discuss And Consider The Purchase Of A Hyundai HL940A Wheel Loader For Coastal Zone Management

**Background:** Currently Coastal Zone Management has four-wheel loaders. One is a 2013 Hyundai that is set up as a forklift to move lifeguard stands. We also have one 2015 case 621F loader and two 2021 Hyundai HL940A that were purchased in 2021.

Due to the harsh environment and the age of the 2015 case 621F loader it needs a few repairs. The cost for these repairs will be approximately \$11,000.00. The loaders are driven from one job to the next, which can be twenty miles one way. The loaders are used for a variety of jobs that Coastal Zone Management is responsible for. Two of the loaders that were replaced last year, were sold in auction in February 2022 for a combined \$106,000.00.

**Staff Recommendation:** Staff is recommending that Coastal Zone management purchase a New Hyundai HL940A Wheel Loader from Four Seasons Equipment for \$144,120.00 under Sourcewell purchasing cooperative contract # 032119-HCE. This item was presented to the Finance and Operations Committee on June 14, 2022, and unanimously approved.

**Funding Source (if applicable):** BC-70-5252 (Equipment Purchase). While these items were not part of the original budget, the collection of Hotel Occupancy Tax has exceeded the budget and will cover the cost of purchase.