



## Agenda Item Summary

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**File #: 24-00746**

**Agenda Date: 8/27/2024**

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**Agenda Item Name:**

**Award and Purchase Order to American Energy, Inc. D/B/A (Doing Business As) Novair USA Corp., for Bid 24-495 Oxygen Generating System for Fire Rescue.**

**Presenter:**

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**Description:**

Award and Purchase Order to American Energy, Inc. D/B/A Novair USA Corp., for Bid 24-495 Oxygen Generating System for Fire Rescue.

**Recommended Action:**

Approve the Award and Purchase Order of Bid 24-495 Oxygen Generating System in the amount of \$176,500.00.

**Prior Board Motions:**

N/A

**Fiscal Note:**

Sufficient funds exist for this purchase in the Fire Rescue Department budget from the Public Emergency Medical Transportations Revenue (PEMT) (091.54.5450.526.64.00 #6195410 ALL Machinery & Equipment) for this purchase.

**Strategic Guide:**

All Other Mandatory and Discretionary Services

**Background:**

The Department of Fire Rescue currently utilizes an oxygen generating system that was given to the department several years ago from the Health Department. It has recently experienced multiple costly repairs and continues to be extremely inefficient for staff to refill oxygen bottles. A bid to replace the system was processed and the Novair product meets all the specifications and requirements.

BID 24-495 Oxygen Generating System was released on May 15, 2024. The deadline for receipt of BID 24-495 Oxygen Generating System was July 17, 2024; one (1) vendor responded.

The project details can be found here:

<https://procurement.opengov.com/portal/alachuacounty/projects/94334>