

**CITY OF COLUMBIA, ILLINOIS
ORDINANCE NO. 3564**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF SURPLUS PERSONAL PROPERTY

WHEREAS, the City of Columbia (“City”), Monroe and St. Clair Counties, Illinois is a duly created, organized and validly existing municipality of the State of Illinois under the 1970 Illinois Constitution and the laws of the State of Illinois, including particularly the Illinois Municipal Code, and all laws amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto; and

WHEREAS, Section 11-76-4 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/11-76-4) authorizes the City to sell personal property owned by the City when the Corporate Authorities believe that the property is no longer necessary or useful to, or in the best interests of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City currently owns several items of surplus property (“Property”) that were formerly used by the City; and

WHEREAS, the Property, as described in Exhibit “A”, attached hereto and incorporated herein, is no longer necessary or useful to, or for the best interests of, the City; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities desire to first solicit written, sealed bids for the sale of the Property.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Columbia as follows:

Section 1. That the preceding recitations in the upper part of this Ordinance realleged, restated and adopted as paragraph one (“1”) of this Ordinance.

Section 2. The sale of the Property shall be authorized by written, sealed bids.

Section 3. The City Clerk is directed to publish a solicitation of bids on the City’s website, and any other appropriate media, inviting bids for the Property.

Section 4. Bids for the Property shall be received by the City Clerk up to April 16, 2021, at 9:00 a.m., and shall be contained in a sealed envelope labeled, “BID FOR SURPLUS PROPERTY”.

Section 5. The City Administrator shall open the bids after April 16, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. and shall provide the bid results to the Corporate Authorities at the Regular Meeting on April 19, 2021, at which time the Corporate Authorities may accept any of the bids, or reject all bids.

Section 6. If the Corporate Authorities reject all bids, the City Administrator is authorized to post advertisements to sell the property in such places at the newspaper, online classified services, online auction services, or any other classified service, and shall be authorized to sell the Property at a price that the City Administrator deems fair for the property in its current condition, taking into account offers received for the Property.

Section 7. This Ordinance shall take full force and effect upon its passage, approval and publication as required by law.

PASSED by the City Council and **APPROVED** by the Mayor of the City of Columbia, Illinois and deposited and filed in the office of the City Clerk on the 5th day of April, 2021, the vote being taken by ayes and noes and entered upon the legislative record as follows:

AYES: Aldermen Ebersohl, Agne, Niemietz, Roessler, Huch, Holtkamp, Martens, and Riddle.

NOES: None.

ABSTENTIONS: None.

ABSENT: None.

APPROVED:


EUGENE J. EBERSOHL, Mayor

ATTEST:


WESLEY J. HOEFFKEN, City Clerk

(SEAL)

EXHIBIT "A"
CITY OF COLUMBIA
SURPLUS PROPERTY LISTING

YEAR	MAKE	MODEL	VIN OR OTHER IDENT.	DESCRIPTION
2003	Chevrolet	Impala	2G1WF55K439202276	Sedan
2003	GMC	Envoy XL 4WD	1GKET16S536219571	SUV
2006	Forest River	Wildwood LE	4X4TWDE236J047193	Travel Trailer
2001	Ford	E-450	1FDXE45F01HA06822	Ambulance
1999	Ford	Crown Victoria	2EAFP71W3XX233969	Sedan
1993	Polaris	Boss 350CC	2104400	6X6
2007	Titan	TG8500		Generator
2007	Titan	TG8000		Generator
	Western		6627	Hydraulic Salt Spreader
	Wacker		PT3A	3" Trash Pump
				Tennis Court Light Fixtures (37)