



PURCHASE OF PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

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- ❑ The Killeen Fire Department provides Structural and Wildland Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for our firefighters to include coat, trousers, boots, helmets, hoods, & gloves
- ❑ To comply with NFPA Standard 1851, usable lifespan for each piece of PPE is 5 years of frontline use and an additional 5 years in reserve status.
- ❑ KFD continues to replace 20% of PPE inventory each year. (Approximately 50 sets annually)

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- ❑ Structural PPE is available through North American Fire Equipment Company (NAFECO) and Lion First Responders PPE, Inc. Sourcewell contract #010424-LIO
- ❑ Financial Impact
 - ▣ FY 2025 expenditure \$248,894
 - ▣ Budgeted expense - no additional funding required
- ❑ Conforms to City Policy with North American Fire Equipment Company through Lion First Responders PPE, Inc. Sourcewell contract #010424-LIO

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- Staff recommends that the City Manager or his designee be authorized to execute the purchase of Structural PPE from North American Fire Equipment Company through Lion First Responders PPE, Inc. Sourcewell Cooperative Contract #010424-LIO, in the amount of \$248,894, and that the City Manager or designee is expressly authorized to execute any and all change orders within the amounts set by state and local law.