

Applications for the purchase of Gator Utility Vehicle
Application (Internal)

Name of Project	Gator Utility Vehicle
Lead Organisation	SCC Local Services

Total cost of Project	Total Match Funding	Total NF requested
£20,800	£In kind re servicing	£20,800
Project Duration	Start Date	End Date
On going	October 2019	

The Project

The first Gator, purchased via last year's budget has had a significant impact. The bins are now emptied to schedule and complaints/requests have decreased by 22%. In addition to emptying bins it can also assist with small scale horticultural works and has also been used in parks and cemeteries and has enabled to access areas where larger vehicles were causing damage to the grass verges. Overall, the acquisition of the Gator has been a great success. With that in mind and following discussions at the last Board where Councillors suggested the purchase of a second vehicle, Place Services confirm the costs for purchasing a 2nd Gator vehicle for Washington as detailed in the quote below - £15,100 plus £5,700 for snow clearance attachments (first option). Place Management agree to take on the servicing costs etc. as a match to this funding.

The purchase of the vehicle will be subject to SCC Procurement procedures. This is likely to result in the ordering of the vehicle (dependent on receiving relevant quotes within the budget proposed) being implemented once the funding is available. The LL Lloyd specification attached is one example/quote.

Key Milestones

Objectives and goals	Forecast Dates
Procurement and purchase of vehicle agreed	October 2019
Purchase of vehicle	December 2019



Sunderland Council

26th July 2019

For the attention of Stephen Meek – Environmental Services Officer

Dear Stephen

Thank you for your recent enquiry, as per conversation I have attached price and specification of requested machinery:

Quotation

1. New Kubota RTV-X1110 Utility Vehicle with full road homologated cab

- 24.8hp Kubota diesel engine
- Variable hydrostatic transmission with in-line gear change
- High rigidity chassis frame
- 10.2 inch of chassis ground clearance
- Independent coil/shock front and rear suspension
- Dynamic breaking
- 4wd and difflock traction support
- Hydraulic power steering
- 500kg rear tipping cargo bed
- 40kmh road speed
- 2 year warranty

Nett price

£15,100.00 plus vat

Please note this machine will be supplied with full road legal homologation kit.

Optional Accessories

1.65m snowblade with hydraulic raise/lower

Nett price £1,950.00 plus vat

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Snow-ex SP1575 salt spreader

- 163ltr hopper capacity
- Auger feed system
- In cab control box
- Variable spread width from 1.5m upto 9m

Nett price £3,750.00 plus vat

Or

Snow-ex SP2000 salt spreader

- As above but fitted with a larger 300ltr hopper

Nett price £4,500.00 plus vat

Mesh extension cage for rear cargo bed

Nett price £450.00 plus vat

OFFICER RECOMMENDATION: Approve