

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-70**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF CALEDONIA TO REPAIR/  
REFURBISH THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S 2007 PIERCE DASH AERIAL BY PIERCE  
MANUFACTURING, INC.**

**WHEREAS**, Fire Department policy and practice requires an aerial ladder truck to reach elevated positions and provide a safe working platform as part of standardized response to fire alarms, structure fires, and technical rescue incidents within the Village.

**WHEREAS**, the aerial ladder truck currently in use by the Fire Department failed annual re-certification and requires extensive frame repair that necessitates the aerial ladder truck return to the manufacturer for repair/refurbishment.

**WHEREAS**, failure to repair the frame will significantly shorten the useable life of the apparatus. A significant refurbishment should extend the life of the apparatus an additional 15-25 years.

**WHEREAS**, The Fire Department recommends contractual agreement for repair/refurbishment for the sum of \$627,633 to Pierce Manufacturing, Inc.

**WHEREAS**, this repair will utilize a portion of funds in the 2021 budget for a Fire Department engine replacement and is available in the capital account 400-35-65040.

**WHEREAS**, the Village Finance Committee has reviewed this request and recommends that the Village Board authorize the repair/refurbishment of the 2007 Pierce Dash Aerial to fund said costs as described above.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Caledonia Village Board that the repair/refurbishment of the 2007 Pierce Dash Aerial as described above at a cost of \$627,633 by Pierce Manufacturing, Inc. is authorized and approved and that the required funds shall be paid from the 2021 Capital Project Fund.

Adopted by the Village Board of the Village of Caledonia, Racine County, Wisconsin,  
this 7 day of June 2021.

VILLAGE OF CALEDONIA

By: 

Jim Dobbs, Village President

Attest: 

Joslyn Hoeffert, Village Clerk