



## Memo

01/21/2025

To : Eric Lane  
Hawthorne Police Department Captain

From : Jose G. Gutierrez  
Equipment Division

RE: 5 replacement U/C vehicles

Hello Captain Lane,

I am writing to recommend the replacement of 5 City of Hawthorne Police department unmarked vehicles. Units 672, 673, 677, 594 and 680 have high maintenance costs due to their age and very High mileage. After 7 years, Most original parts are now obsolete, and obtaining aftermarket replacements presents challenges.

All 5 units are close to 100k miles or higher but the idle hours on the drivetrain are even higher due to surveillance duties.

Units have been experiencing frequent breakdowns and are unsafe for our officers.

Unit # 672 2017 Honda Pilot current miles 124,206  
Unit # 673 2017 Toyota Sienna current miles 141,627  
Unit # 677 2019 Nissan Maxima current miles 112,932  
Unit # 594 2019 Dodge Ram 1500 current miles 105,166  
Unit # 680 2021 Toyota Highlander current miles 93,016

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,  
Jose G. Gutierrez  
Equipment Division