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MDEQ 2018 Clean Diesel Dump/Plow Truck Replacement Grant Awarded

Hillsdale, MI, April 27, 2018 – City of Hillsdale Department of Public Services has been awarded a 2018 State Clean Diesel Grant Award from Michigan Department of Environment Quality (MEDQ) in the amount of \$108,750 to assist with the purchase of three new 5-6 yard dump/plow trucks.

The total cost of the three trucks will be \$435,000. The Council has approved the project and committed \$108,750 from the City of Hillsdale Department of Public Services Revolving Equipment Maintenance Fund and \$217,500 from the City of Hillsdale Capital Improvement Fund for a total of \$326,250

The new dump/plow trucks will be used heavily throughout the entire year. They are critical to winter maintenance, leaf collection, and material hauling. The new trucks will emit less diesel emissions, therefore, helping the City of Hillsdale reduce air emissions. The project will be completed by August 31, 2018.

Anyone with any questions may contact Mr. David Mackie, City Manager at (517) 437-4444 or email dmackie@cityofhillsdale.org or visit www.cityofhillsdale.org.

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