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To: Purchasing

From: Kelly Trout, Chief Financial Officer, HCFR *Kelly Trout*

RE: Contract # 26-TSS00275 - Justification Memo for the Annual Maintenance of TNT Tools

Hernando County Fire Rescue has purchased extrication equipment over the years with Southern Rescue Tools. They have been maintaining and certifying the extrication equipment on a yearly basis which is vital to ensure peak operational readiness, reduce agency liability, and protect responder safety. Therefore, since the original equipment has been purchased with Southern Rescue Tools, it is imperative they continue to maintain and certify the equipment.

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