

## City of Waukesha

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Committee: Park, Recreation and Forestry	<b>Date</b> : 2/17/2025
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Submitted By: Ron Grall, WPRF Director; Mary Berg, Recreation Services Manager	City Administrator Approval: Anthony Brown, City Administrator N/A
Finance Department Review:  Joe Ciurro, Finance Director N/A	City Attorney's Office Review: N/A Brian Running, City Attorney

**Subject:** Proposed purchase of (3) TurboChef double batch rapid cook ovens.

### **Details:**

Meets City Budget FMP Objective – "Expand use of TurboChef rapid cook ovens"

**TurboChef rapid cook ovens** utilize top and/or bottom air impingement assisted by precise burst of RF energy to degree cook times by more than 80% without compromising quality. Hot food has greater margins and WPRF would be able to expand menus while using smart menu technology to push a button and walk away while items are cooking. This technology is used at Buchner and is yielding a higher rate of return.

# **Options & Alternatives:**

Choose not to purchase the TurboChef reducing opportunity to expand menu and increase revenue.

#### **Financial Remarks:**

Capital Outlay Expense: \$40,000 budgeted in other Capital Special Revenue 5990.68190 (includes, oven, cart and electrical); \$20,000 budgeted in other Capital Horeb Pool 5320.68190 (includes, oven, cart and electrical). Recommend Low Price Quote of \$47,370.48 from Boelter

### **Executive Recommendation:**

Recommend Approval of the TurboChef double batch rapid cook ovens from Boelter.