

**From:** [Wanda Gautney](#)  
**To:** "Dan Byrd"  
**Cc:** [Christel Watson](#); [Junius Long](#); [Derrick Crocker](#); [Chris Bulman](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Baldwin County Commission PO 20224863  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 7, 2022 3:22:00 PM  
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Mr. Byrd

The bid was awarded to Joe Bullard Chevrolet for the purchase of the two trucks on March 15, 2022 and the Purchase Order was dated April 8, 2022.

Why was the vehicles not ordered in April when GM was still taking orders??

Thanks

*Wanda Gautney, Purchasing Director  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 7, 2022 2:25 PM  
**To:** Junius Long <[JLLONG@baldwincountyal.gov](mailto:JLLONG@baldwincountyal.gov)>; Derrick Crocker <[DCrocker@baldwincountyal.gov](mailto:DCrocker@baldwincountyal.gov)>; Chris Bulman <[cbulman@baldwincountyal.gov](mailto:cbulman@baldwincountyal.gov)>; Wanda Gautney <[wgautney@baldwincountyal.gov](mailto:wgautney@baldwincountyal.gov)>  
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Please see email below regarding Building Maintenance's truck.

Thank you,  
Christel Watson  
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Baldwin County Building Maintenance  
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Foley AL 36535  
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251-222-3742 Cell

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**From:** Dan Byrd <[dbyrd@joebullard.com](mailto:dbyrd@joebullard.com)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 7, 2022 2:23 PM

**To:** Christel Watson <[Christel.Watson@baldwincountyal.gov](mailto:Christel.Watson@baldwincountyal.gov)>  
**Cc:** Drew Favors <[dfavors@joebullard.com](mailto:dfavors@joebullard.com)>  
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Ms. Watson;

After multiple attempts to place your truck orders and multiple build-constraint barriers, we simply have been unable to get your two—2022-model Silverado 2500HD units built. GM has discontinued accepting 2022-model orders for the HD units. After meeting with our general manager, we suggest re-attempting the build/purchase project, but re-submitting bids for the 2023 model. *Chassis Cab*.

We understand your frustration, and we greatly apologize that we have yet to be able to provide you with the trucks you are trying to purchase. Please let me know if you want us to re-submit everything—including the bid for the multiple truck order/purchase but based on the 2023 models.

Thank you,

**DAN BYRD**  
GM Fleet Manager  
Joe Bullard Chevrolet  
Main 251.476.8080  
**Cell 251.232.3945**  
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**From:** Christel Watson <[Christel.Watson@baldwincountyal.gov](mailto:Christel.Watson@baldwincountyal.gov)>  
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**To:** Dan Byrd <[dbyrd@joebullard.com](mailto:dbyrd@joebullard.com)>  
**Cc:** Drew Favors <[dfavors@joebullard.com](mailto:dfavors@joebullard.com)>  
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Was you able to find anything out about our trucks in your meeting?

Thank you,  
Christel Watson

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**From:** Dan Byrd <[dbyrd@joebullard.com](mailto:dbyrd@joebullard.com)>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2022 9:39 AM  
**To:** Christel Watson <[Christel.Watson@baldwincountyal.gov](mailto:Christel.Watson@baldwincountyal.gov)>  
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Ms. Watson;

We have yet to be able to get the order picked up, due to build constraints. I will be meeting with our GM regarding your trucks this week, along with several other units we are trying to get built.

**DAN BYRD**  
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**From:** Renae Rachel <[rrachel@joebullard.com](mailto:rrachel@joebullard.com)>  
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**Cc:** Drew Favors <[dfavors@joebullard.com](mailto:dfavors@joebullard.com)>  
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Can one of you help her with this?

-Renae

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**From:** Christel Watson <[Christel.Watson@baldwincountyal.gov](mailto:Christel.Watson@baldwincountyal.gov)>  
**Sent:** Monday, August 29, 2022 9:20 AM

**To:** Renae Rachel <[rrachel@joebullard.com](mailto:rrachel@joebullard.com)>

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Can you please give me a status on the 2 trucks on PO 20224863?

Thank you,  
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