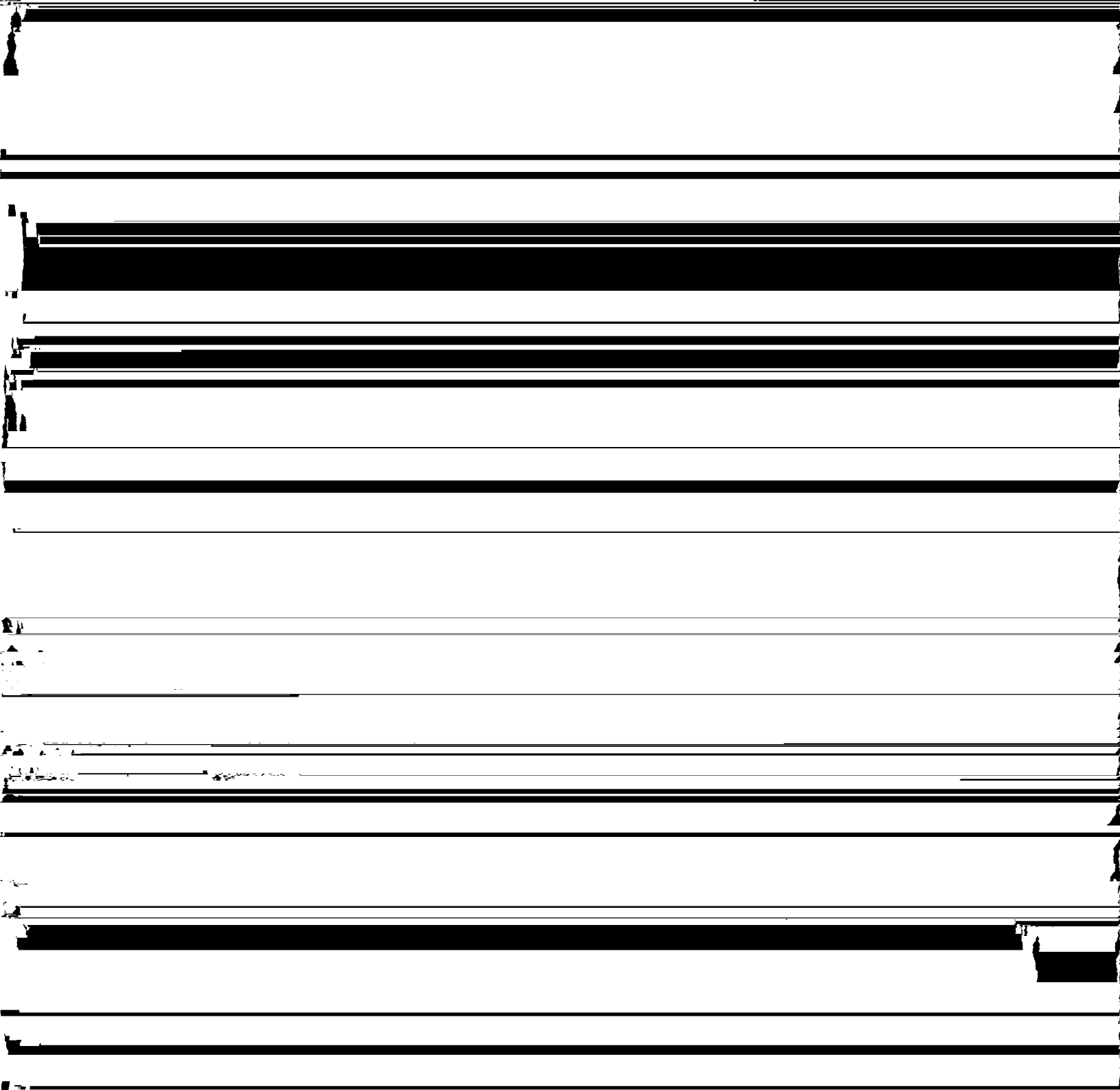


March 24, 2004

**APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH NATIONAL LIFT TRUCK, INC.
FOR THE PURCHASE OF PORTABLE LIFTS**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

~~Agreeing to enter into an agreement with National Lift Truck, Inc. for the purchase of portable lifts for the~~



Total WBE - 5%

Alko Automotives
6113 W. Roosevelt Road
Cicero, IL 60804

certified through 09/01/04

LSC REVIEW: Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL: Charge to Capital Planning: \$204,855 Fiscal Year: FY04&05
Budget Classification: 0944-458-000-9311-5400

Source o

f Funds: Capital Funds

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General – Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

~~Conflicts: The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the~~