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Subject: RE: Question

My first thought is why should a municipality purchase a vehicle from one of its employees when there appears to be no shortage of used cars for sale. The ethics code prohibits employees from transacting business with their departments. This means that an employee could not sell his/her vehicle to his/her municipal department. Assuming the vehicle would be used by another department, there need to be assurances that the municipality is paying fair market value for the vehicle.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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From: CAROL-MINOSHKA AUBRUN [mailto:cmaubrun@hotmail.com]
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Are there any restrictions for a municipality to purchase a vehicle from an employee (police officer)?
The vehicle would be used for the municipality to conduct operations.

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