



**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM**: Lee Feldman, City Manager

**DATE**: December 4, 2012

**TITLE**: Motion to approve proprietary purchase of decorative street name sign posts

and associated parts for the Seven Isles neighborhood (Project 11507) -

\$42,469.

## Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a proprietary purchase of decorative street name sign posts and associated parts for the Seven Isles neighborhood (Project 11507) from Municipal Lighting Systems, Inc. in the amount of \$42,469.

## Background

The City of Fort Lauderdale has installed numerous decorative street name posts of varying composition and manufacture in City neighborhoods over the years. In an effort to standardize materials for maintenance efficiency and to minimize cost, staff recommends that future posts be similar and uniform in all neighborhoods - unless the specific neighborhood had previously installed different type of posts as part of an earlier grant. Standardized decorative street name sign posts and associated parts are not available over-the-counter and must be pre-ordered. Most City neighborhoods currently use products from Municipal Lighting Systems, Inc. which is the sole source distributor for Ameron Pole Products and Vertex Illuminations of America in the southeast United States.

## **Resource Impact**

There is a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$42,469, which is available from the 2009 NCIP Program, (Seven Isles HOA Bridge Improvements). The Seven Isles neighborhood match contribution of \$35,000 included in the balance is recommended to be appropriated contingent upon approval of the Consolidated Budget Amendment, CAM #12-2304, also included on this agenda.

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FUND	SUBFUND	FUND NAME	INDEX#	INDEX NAME	OBJECT#	SUBOBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
				2009 NCIP Seven Isles HOA			
331	01	General Capital Projects	P11507.331	Bridge Improvements	6599	Construction	\$ 35,000.00
and upon approval of November 4, 2012 Consolidated Budget Amendment,							
				2009 NCIP Seven Isles HOA			
331	01	General Capital Projects	P11507.331	Bridge Improvements	6599	Construction	7,469.00
				TOTAL			42,469.00

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