



**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the  
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM:** Lee Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE:** July 2, 2013

**TITLE:** Motion approving contract extension for single-family residential household garbage, trash and yard waste collection on a month to month basis for up to sixty (60) days, Contract 692-10119 - \$274,986.76

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**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a month to month extension for up to sixty (60) days commencing on August 1, 2013 for contract 692-10119 with Choice Environmental Services of Broward, Inc. (Choice) per current unit prices, in the estimated amount of \$274,986.76.

**Background**

On September 27, 2012 the City Commission held a special workshop to review solid waste services. A recommendation was made to consolidate the two existing residential garbage and yard waste collection contracts into one single contract. Choice currently provides these City-wide services under contracts 692-9843 and 692-10119. Contract 692-9843 will not expire until July 31, 2013.

City personnel previously provided collection service for approximately one half of the City and a contractor provided collection service for the other half of the City. The existing two contracts were competitively awarded after privatization of the City's portion of the collection service. The benefits to the City to consolidate the two contracts are one City-wide contract that can be competitively bid in the future. The new contract will shorten the term of one of the existing contracts by twelve months and will include yard waste disposal service previously included in only one of the existing contracts.

On October 16, 2012, CAM-12-2251, Pur-7, the Commission approved a ninety (90) day contract extension through January 31, 2013.

On January 22, 2013, CAM 13-0226, Pur-9, the Commission approved a month to month up to ninety (90) day contract extension through April 30, 2013.

On April 16, 2013, CAM 13-0601, Pur-8, the Commission approved a month to month

up to ninety (90) day contract extension through July 31, 2013.

This extension will provide additional time for completion of negotiations between the City and Choice for a new City-wide contract agreement to consolidate the two existing single-family residential household garbage, trash, and yard waste collection contracts through July 15, 2015 with Choice.

**Resource Impact**

There is a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$274,986.76.

**FUNDS AVAILABILTY LOCATION:**

FY	FUND	SUB FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX #	INDEX NAME	SUB OBJ #	SUBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
2013	409	01	Sanitation	PBS090201	Collection	3255	Solid Waste Disposal	\$274,986.76
<b>TOTAL</b>								\$274,986.76

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