

#13-1037

TO:	Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission
FROM:	Lee Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager
DATE:	August 20, 2013
TITLE:	Motion to approve Task Order No. 14 with Miller, Legg & Associates, Inc. – \$82,080 – Wildlife Hazard Assessment - Project 11899

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve Task Order No. 14 with Miller, Legg & Associates, Inc., in the amount \$82,080.

Background

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) requires general aviation airports currently accepting Airport Improvement Program (AIP) funds that have more than 100 based jets and greater than 75,000 operations per year to initiate a Wildlife Hazard Assessment (WHA) by the end of 2015 to determine the extent of wildlife mitigation needed at the facility.

In anticipation of the federal requirement, staff has negotiated Task Order No. 14, with the City's General Environmental Engineering Consultant, Miller Legg & Associates, Inc., in the amount of \$82,080, to provide Wildlife Hazard Assessment monitoring services for a 16 month period. The Task Order will include the following services: identify and locate features on and near FXE that attract wildlife; conduct observations and data collection for seasonal, local, and daily movement of wildlife on or near the airfield; describe existing wildlife hazards to operations; collect and analyze historical strike data; analyze a composite of the data, and provide recommendations for reducing wildlife hazards; attend project meetings, and prepare draft and final documents for acceptance by the FAA.

This item was reviewed and approved by the Aviation Advisory Board at the Board's June 27, 2013 meeting.

Resource Impact

There is a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$89,616: \$82,080 for Task Order 14 & \$7,536 for force account charges.

Funding for this item is contingent upon approval of the August 20, 2013 consolidated budget amendment, CAM 13-0965.

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YEAR	FUND	FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX #	INDEX NAME	OBJECT#	SUBOBJECTNAME	AMOUNT
			Airport Fund -					
2013	468	02	Capital Projects	P11899.468	Wildlife Hazard Assessment	6534	Engineering Fees	82,080.00
			Airport Fund -				Force Account	
2013	468	02	Capital Projects	P11899.468	Wildlife Hazard Assessment	6501	Charges	7,536.00
							TOTAL	89,616.00

Attachments: Exhibit 1 – Task Order No. 14

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