ORDINANCE NO. C-14-16

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE,
FLORIDA, AMENDING SECTION 2-127, "APPROVAL OF
CHANGE ORDERS AND TASK ORDERS," OF THE CODE OF
ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE,
FLORIDA, AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, REPEAL
OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCE PROVISIONS, AND AN
EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT
LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1.   Section 2-127 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida,
is amended to provide as follows:

Sec. 2-127. Approval of change orders and task orders.

Where a change order or task order or an amendment to a change order
or task order, for goods or services relative to an existing contract, the cumulative
amount of such change orders, task orders, and amendments to change orders,
and task orders, which does not exceed twenty-five thousand dollars
($25,000.00), is recommended by the a public works department director and the
director of finance, and it is previously determined that sufficient funds are
available in the proper amount, then, under those circumstances, a change order
or task order or an amendment to a change order or task order may be approved
by the city manager or the city manager's designee. Change orders and task
orders and amendments to change orders and task orders over a cumulative
amount of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000.00) shall be subject to city
commission approval.

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Notwithstanding the foregoing paragraph, the city manager ~~or the city manager's designee~~ is authorized to approve task orders in amounts that, in the aggregate, do not exceed the contract amount of the corresponding existing contract and the city manager shall provide monthly reports to the city commission on such task orders.

(1)   *Definitions.*

(a)   A change order is defined as a written order to a contractor approved by the city, authorizing a revision of an underlying agreement between the city and a contractor that is directly related to the original scope of work or an adjustment in the original contract price or the contract time directly related to the original scope of work, issued on or after the effective date of the contract.

(b)   A task order is defined as a document setting forth a negotiated detailed scope of services to be performed by a ~~consultant~~ vendor at fixed contract ~~hourly billing rates~~ prices in accordance with an underlying agreement between the city and a ~~consultant~~ vendor.

SECTION 2.   That if any clause, section, or other part of this Ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby, but shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3.   That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

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SECTION 4.   That this Ordinance shall be in full force and eflect upon its final passage.

PASSED FIRST READING this the 4th day of March, 2014.
PASSED SECOND READING this the 18th day of March, 2014.

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Mayor
JOHN P. "JACK" SEILER

ATTEST:

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City Clerk
JONDA K. JOSEPH

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