



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING

#12-2514

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: January 8, 2013

TITLE: Motion to approve three, two-year unit priced contracts for storm drainage services, Invitation to Bid 623-11048 - \$2,000,000

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve three, two-year unit priced contracts for storm drainage services to primary contractor GPE Engineering & General Contractor Corp., secondary contractor Southeastern Engineering Contractors, Inc. and tertiary contractor Ric-Man Construction Florida, Inc. and authorize the proper City officials to issue individual work orders under the contracts in an amount up to \$25,000 in accordance with Section 2-179(5) of the Code of Ordinances.

Background

This project is an annual contract for construction of various storm drainage projects throughout the City. Projects include the restoration, testing and installation of storm pipelines, storm basins and manholes, exfiltration trenches, storm drainage wells and other storm water drainage components.

The bid opening for this project was held on October 10, 2012. Five bids were received and the specifications had indicated that staff could award up to three contracts to contractors providing the lowest bid amounts. Staff recommends award to the three lowest cost, responsive and responsible bidders. The bid solicitation is based upon line item unit pricing. Specific line items will be used as they relate to the required projects throughout the term of the contract. This contract is developed to be a resource for projects requiring unit bid items for construction of public improvement.

Work orders will be issued to GPE Engineering & General Contractor Corp., Southeastern Engineering Contractors, Inc. or Ric-Man Construction Florida, Inc. on as needed basis for the construction of new storm drainage infrastructure for projects as listed in Exhibit 2.

Individual work orders issued under these contracts in an amount over \$25,000 will be brought back to the City Commission for approval in compliance with 2-179(5) of the Code.

Currently, the City has \$2,000,000 available in the FY 2013 budget for this type of work.

Resource Impact

There is an estimated fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$2,000,000 from current funds appropriated in the Stormwater capital fund. Work orders will be issued on the available funding based on the unit price contracts.

FUNDS AVAILABILITY LOCATION:

FISCAL		SUB				SUB		
YEAR	FUND	FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX #	INDEX NAME	OBJECT #	SUBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
2013	470	02	STORMWATER-CAPITAL PROJ	P11780.470	1012/13 ANNUAL STORM DRAINAGE CONTRACT	6499	CONSTRUCTION	\$2,000,000
TOTAL								\$2,000,000

Attachment(s)

Exhibit 1 – Bid Tabulation 623-11048 (Project 11780)

Exhibit 2 - Projects to be included under contract

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