20-0548

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: August 18, 2020

TITLE: Motion to Approve Continuing Contract Agreements for Structural Bridge

Engineering Consulting Services - Various Consultants - \$300,000 -

(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission award continuing contract agreements and approve funding for the Structural Bridge Engineering Consulting Services with three of the top four ranked firms: Hardesty & Hanover LLC, TranSystems Corporation d/b/a TranSystems Corporation Consultants, and Lakes Engineering, Inc., in substantially the forms attached, in the estimated aggregate amount of \$300,000. This amount is for an initial two-year term agreement and is to be distributed among the consultants following the normal task order approval process. Staff also requests approval for the City Manager to approve three, one-year renewal options, contingent upon appropriation of funds.

Background

On May 19, 2020, the City Commission approved the final ranking and negotiations with the top four ranked firms Hardesty & Hanover LLC, Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., Lakes Engineering, Inc., and TranSystems Corporation. (CAM #20-0248). Negotiations were successful with all firms except Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., which is still being negotiated regarding certain contract terms and conditions and will be brought to the Commission later to award the contract.

These contracts will be used to provide design services for bridge specific design/repair for all City owned bridge projects including but not limited to, design, bidding, permitting, evaluation, construction inspection services, utility coordination, environmental mitigations, and public outreach involving the replacement and/or major repair of City owned bridges by individual task orders.

Resource Impact

There will be a current fiscal year impact in the amount of \$55,000. Funds for this contract in the amount of \$55,000 are available in the FY2020 Community Investment Plan in the accounts listed below. Future task orders are contingent upon the approval and appropriation of the annual budgets.

Funds available as of August 10, 2020					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB- OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
331-P12299.331-6534	West Lake Drive Bridge Restoration	Capital Outlay / Consultant Engineering	\$383,000	\$334,660	\$55,000
			TOTAL →		\$55,000

<u>Strategic Connections</u>
This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the Infrastructure Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Goal 2: Be a sustainable and resilient community.
- Objective 1: Proactively maintain our water, wastewater, road, and bridge infrastructure.

This item advances the Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Ready.

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – Contract Agreement with TranSystems Corporation Consultants

Exhibit 2 – Contract Agreement with Hardesty & Hanover LLC

Exhibit 3 – Contract Agreement with Lakes Engineering, Inc.

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