



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo

#12-2018

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee Feldman, City Manager

DATE: September 5, 2012

TITLE: Motion to approve various median landscaping projects – Invitation to Bid
522-11020 - \$256,941.91

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a purchase for median landscaping in the amount of \$256,941.91 from Orchidman Landscape Artisans, Corp., and authorize the City Manager to execute on behalf of the City.

Background

At the City Commission meeting of January 17, 2012, Item CR-06, funding was approved to improve various medians throughout the City of Fort Lauderdale. At the City Commission meeting of August 21, 2012, Item P-15 for the approval of median landscaping projects was deferred to September 5, 2012 meeting to include additional information.

New plants, trees and sod will be installed at various locations in the City including Federal Highway, NW/NE 13th Street, Powerline Road, A1A, and SW 4th Avenue. The bid is attached which identifies specific improvements median by median. Improvements on Federal Highway include: the installation of 75 oak trees, the installation of sod, the removal of various plants, the removal of 109 trees and the installation of mulch on all tree and plant beds. Improvements to 13 Street include the addition of soil and sod. The improvements to Powerline Road include the installation of sod, green island ficus, cocoplum, and new sabal and thatch palms. On A1A from NE 21 Street to Oakland Park Boulevard new coconuts and silver buttonwood will be installed which will mirror the south side of A1A. Various trees will be removed. In the Galt Ocean Mile area, we are installing five canary date palms. Finally, on SW 4 Avenue, we will be installing dwarf firebush plants, removing the old plants and installing mulch around all plants and trees.

Invitation to Bid (ITB) 522-11020 was opened on July 17, 2012 with nine bids received. Low bidder, OrchidMan Landscape Artisans, Corp. has met all specifications of the bid and has been deemed the low responsive and responsible bidder.

Resource Impact

There is a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$256,941.91

FUNDS AVAILABILITY LOCATION:

FY	FUND	FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX #	INDEX NAME	SUB OBJECT #	SUBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
2012	001	01	GENERAL FUND	PKR061401	NORTHWEST MAINT	3434	IMP REP MATERIALS	256,941.91
TOTAL								256,941.91

Attachment(s)

Exhibit 1 - Bid Tabulation 522-11020

Exhibit 2 – Invitation to Bid No. 522-11020

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