



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING**

#15-0949

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: August 18, 2015

TITLE: Motion to Award the Fort Lauderdale Executive Airport East Perimeter
Loop Road Project to JMS Construction Services, Inc. – \$449,125

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission award a contract for the construction of the Fort Lauderdale Executive Airport (FXE) East Perimeter Loop Road Project to the lowest cost, responsive, and responsible bidder, JMS Construction Services, Inc., in substantially the form attached, in the amount of \$449,125.

Background

The FXE current master plan update recommends that a perimeter loop road be constructed on the east side of the airfield to minimize vehicle and equipment crossings at the approach end of Runway 27. Currently, vehicles on the north side of the airport cross Runway 27 in order to relocate equipment to areas south of Runway 27. These crossings affect air traffic control tower operations and airfield traffic, which increases the possibility of unauthorized vehicle incursions. The construction of the new road will serve to minimize runway crossings and enhance the safety of airport operations.

The scope of services includes, but is not limited to, clearing and grubbing, removal of existing milled asphalt road, limerock, paving, sodding and irrigation, lighting and electrical work, and striping.

The Procurement Services Division issued Invitation to Bid No. 253-11456 and received nine responses. JMS Construction Services, Inc., of Plantation, FL, submitted the lowest cost, responsive and responsible bid. Staff has reviewed the bids with respect to the engineer's estimates and other competitive bids and found the pricing to be fair and reasonable. Reference checks are also satisfactory. Funds for this contract award are available from the project fund balance.

Resource Impact

There will be a current fiscal year impact to the City in the amount of \$449,125 for the contract and \$44,900 for estimated in-house project management fees, for a total of

\$494,025. The available balance in the chart below reflects the amount remaining after the removal of the pre-encumbrance established for this purchase.

<i>Funds available as of July 6, 2015</i>					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	OBJECT CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Object Code)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Object Code)	AMOUNT
468-P11863.468-6599	Executive Airport East Perimeter Loop Road	Capital Outlay/ Construction	\$1,200,000	\$638,966	\$494,025
				TOTAL →	\$494,025

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan* initiative, included within the Business Development Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Goal 7: Be a well-positioned City within the global economic and tourism markets of the South Florida region, leveraging our airports, port, and rail connections.
- Objective 4: Deliver best-in-class regional general aviation airport amenities and services to domestic and international stakeholders.
- Initiative 1: Examine the highest and best use of airport property to stimulate economic development and create jobs.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale Vision Plan 2035: We are here.*

Attachments

- Exhibit 1 – Bid Tabulation
- Exhibit 2 – Draft Contract

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