



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

**#16-0277**

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

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

**DATE:** April 5, 2016

**TITLE:** Motion to Approve Professional Engineering Services for the Repair of the  
Northeast 1<sup>st</sup> Street Bridge – Lakdas/Yohalem Engineering, Inc. – \$39,373  
Task Order

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**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a Task Order (Exhibit 1) with Lakdas/Yohalem Engineering, Inc. for the condition survey, preparation of repair plans and specifications, and construction management services for the rehabilitation of the Northeast 1<sup>st</sup> Street Bridge No. 865727 in an amount not to exceed \$39,373.

**Background**

On August 19, 2014 the City Commission approved CAM 14-0933, retaining Lakdas/Yohalem Engineering, Inc. for Structural Engineering Consulting Services; RFQ No. 946-11366. On October 2, 2014, the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) sent a letter to the City of Fort Lauderdale stating that some of the framing members of the bridge have severe deficiencies. In response to the letter, the Public Works Engineering Division desires to retain the engineering services of Lakdas/Yohalem Engineering, Inc. to perform a condition survey, generate repair plans and specifications, and provide construction management services.

City Staff engaged in negotiations with Lakdas/Yohalem Engineering, Inc. under the continuing services agreement and agreed upon professional engineering services in the amount of \$39,373.

### **Resource Impact**

There will be a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$39,373 for consultant services and \$7,105 for estimated in house project management fees, for a total amount of \$46,478.

<i>Funds available as of March 14, 2016</i>					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
001-PBS040101-3437	Engineering Administration	Services & Materials/ Improvements, Repairs & Maintenance	\$279,842	\$95,173	\$46,478
TOTAL →					\$46,478

### **Strategic Connection**

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the Infrastructure Cylinder of Excellence, specially:

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

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

### **Attachment**

Exhibit 1 – Task Order Number 13

Exhibit 2 – Request for Sub-Consultant Authorization

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