

TO:	Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission
FROM:	Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager
DATE:	June 21, 2016
TITLE:	Motion to Consent to An Assignment of Contract for Financial Advisory Services

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission consent to an Assignment of Contract for Financial Advisory Services by First Southwest Company, LLC, (First SW) to Hilltop Securities Inc., (Hilltop), in substantially the form attached.

Background

On August 19, 2015 the City Manager (or designee) approved contract 555-11627 for Financial Advisory Services with First SW for a period of three years in the amount of \$36,000; this contract expires on August 02, 2018.

First SW has merged with and into Hilltop. First SW will assign the agreement in its entirety to Hilltop. Hilltop shall perform First SW's duties, obligations, and responsibilities under the original agreement.

Resource Impact

There will not be a fiscal impact to the City.

Strategic Connections

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

- Objective 1: Ensure sound fiscal management.
- Goal 12: Be a leading government organization, managing resources wisely and sustainably.

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

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – Assignment of Contract Exhibit 2 - First Southwest Company Original Agreement

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