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TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

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

DATE: November 7, 2017

TITLE: Motion to Approve Contracts for Purchase and Installation of Replacement

Playground Equipment – Various Vendors - \$378,489.03

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve contracts, in substantially the forms attached, for the purchase and installation of replacement playground equipment from Top Line Recreation Inc. (TLR) and REP Services, Inc. (REP) for Dr. Elizabeth Hays Civic Park, Mills Pond Park and Greenfield Park via the Osceola County Schools Contract #SDOC-16-B-087-LH and Clay County Contract #13/14-8 in the total amount of \$378,489.03.

Background

The Parks and Recreation Department is requesting approval to replace playground equipment in an effort to provide safe and accessible playgrounds for neighbors and visitors. The existing playground equipment at Dr. Elizabeth Hays Civic Park, Mills Pond Park and Greenfield Park has exceeded its life cycle. Each park will receive new playground equipment and new or restored-to-new surfacing and shade structures where needed. The cost breakdown is as follows:

Dr. Elizabeth Hays Civic Park	\$140,783.18
Mills Pond Park	106,241.63
Greenfield Park	131,464.22
Total:	\$378,489.03

Pursuant to Section 2-181(f)(5)(b), Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, the City may piggyback a contract entered into by another governmental or public entity and a provider of supplies or services required by the City. These purchases will be made in accordance with Osceola County Schools Contract SDOC-16-B-087-LH from TLR in the amount of \$140,783.18 and Clay County Contract 13/14-8 from REP in the amount of \$237,705.85 for a combined total of \$378,489.03.

Resource Impact

There will be a current fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$378,489.03.

Funds available as of October 11, 2017						
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	PURCHASE AMOUNT	
331-P12304.331-6599	Hays Civic Park Playground Replacement	Capital Outlay / Construction	\$140,783	\$140,783	\$140,783.18	
331-P12314.331-6599	Mills Pond Park Playground Replacement	Capital Outlay / Construction	\$106,242	\$106,242	\$106,241.63	
331-P12316-331-6599	Greenfield Park Playground Replacement	Capital Outlay / Construction	\$131,464	\$131,464	\$131,464.22	
			PURCHASE TOTAL ►		\$378,489.03	

Strategic Connections

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

- Goal 1: Be a community that finds opportunities and leverages partnerships to create unique, inviting and connected gathering places that highlight our beaches, waterways, urban areas and parks.
 - Objective 1: Improve access to and enjoyment of our beach, Riverwalk, waterways, parks and open spaces for everyone.

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – TLR Contract – Hays Civic Park Exhibit 2 – REP Contract – Greenfield Park Exhibit 3 – REP Contract – Mills Pond Park

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