



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

**#17-1366**

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

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

**DATE:** December 5, 2017

**TITLE:** Motion to Approve Additional Vendors and Redistribution of Funds  
between Awarded Vendors for Fertilizer

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**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission approve additional vendors and redistribution of funds between awarded vendors for the purchase of fertilizer via the Southeast Florida Governmental Purchasing Cooperative (Co-op) contract B-17-124. The funding of contract remains unchanged at the original approved amount of \$510,000 for three years.

**Background**

On October 3, 2017, the City Commission approved the purchase of fertilizer from four approved vendors: Diamond R Fertilizer Co., Inc., Howard Fertilizer & Chemical Co., SiteOne Landscape Supply, LLC, and Sunniland Fertilizer Corp. (CAM 17-1120).

An oversight was made with the original CAM by not including all vendors awarded in the solicitation. These additional vendors need to be included so that the Parks and Recreation Department can continue to purchase all the needed fertilizers utilizing this Co-op contract. The department is requesting the following three additional awarded vendors be added: Helena Chemical Company, Residex, LLC (subsidiary of Rentokil North America, Inc. dba Target Specialty Products), and Harrell's, LLC.

The full list of awarded vendors that the City will use is as follows:

- Diamond R Fertilizer Co., Inc.
- Howard Fertilizer & Chemical Co.
- SiteOne Landscape Supply, LLC
- Sunniland Fertilizer Corp.
- Helena Chemical Company
- Residex, LLC (subsidiary of Rentokil North America, Inc. dba Target Specialty Products)
- Harrell's, LLC

Pursuant to Section 2-181(f)(5)(a), Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, the City may purchase from any cooperative contract provided that the cooperative contract is established in compliance with the procurement procedures and requirements of the issuing body, entity, authority, or cooperative.

### **Resource Impact**

There is no fiscal impact to the City associated with this action.

### **Strategic Connections**

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

- Goal 3: 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.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale Vision Plan 2035: We Are Here*

### **Attachments**

Exhibit 1 – Contract Award

Exhibit 2 – Helena Chemical Contract

Exhibit 3 – Residex Contract

Exhibit 4 – Harrell's Contract

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