



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

#18-0450

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

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

DATE: May 15, 2018

TITLE: Motion to Approve Contract for Purchase of Turf Grass Maintenance for
City Quadrants Northwest, Southwest, and Southeast – Multiple Vendors
– \$241,105

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a one-year contract for the purchase of turf grass maintenance for City quadrants northwest, southwest and southeast from multiple vendors in the estimated amount of \$241,105; and authorize the City Manager to approve three, one-year renewal options contingent upon appropriation of funds.

Background

The Parks and Recreation Department is requesting approval of a one-year contract to provide turf grass maintenance, which includes mowing, weeding and hedge trimming for the northwest, southwest, and southeast quadrants spanning various locations throughout the City. The northeast quadrant is currently covered under Contract No. 375-11852 by C&M Landscaping, Inc. (C&M).

On March 5, 2018, the Procurement Services Division issued Invitation to Bid 12116-883 Turf Grass Maintenance for City Quadrants Northwest, Southwest and Southeast and received six bids. Awards will be made by quadrant (as detailed in Exhibit 1) to the lowest bidders that have met all of the specifications of the bid and have been deemed the lowest cost, responsive and responsible bidders.

Award will be made to the following vendors:

- C&M – Fort Lauderdale, FL – Northwest Quadrant
- Royal Regions Inc. – Miami, FL – Southwest and Southeast Quadrants

Resource Impact

There will be a current fiscal year impact in the amount of \$124,565. Funds for this purchase are available in the FY 2018 Budget in the accounts listed below.

Funds available as of April 17, 2018					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
001-PKR062901-3237	General Parks Maintenance	Services/ Materials Lawn & Tree Services	\$5,818,717	\$2,872,450	\$102,003
450-PBS660602-3237	Pump Station Maintenance	Services/ Materials Lawn & Tree Services	\$2,152,092	\$939,324	\$19,152
461-TAM020301-3237	Parking Lots	Services/ Materials Lawn & Tree Services	\$713,274	\$380,789	\$3,410
TOTAL AMOUNT ►					\$124,565

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.
 - Objective 1: Improve access to and enjoyment of our beach, Riverwalk, waterways, parks, and open spaces for everyone.

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

Attachments

- Exhibit 1 – Bid Tabulation
- Exhibit 2 – Solicitation
- Exhibit 3 – C & M Landscaping Contract
- Exhibit 4 – Royal Regions Contract

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