

#18-0463

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

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

DATE: July 10, 2018

TITLE: Motion to Approve Contract for Resurfacing of Fast Dry Tennis Courts –

Fast-Dry Courts, Inc. - \$108,742

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a one-time purchase contract award, in substantially the form attached, with Fast-Dry Courts, Inc. (FDC) for the resurfacing of fast dry tennis courts in the estimated amount of \$108,742.

Background

The Parks and Recreation Department has numerous tennis courts throughout the City. The 18 clay courts at Jimmy Evert Tennis Center (JETC) must be resurfaced approximately every 3 to 4 years depending on condition. Staff is proposing the resurfacing of the tennis courts at JETC, as these courts were last resurfaced in July of 2014. JETC hosts several tournaments each year that include the United States Tennis Association (USTA) National Open Clay Court Championships, the USTA National Boys 14 Clay Court Championships and the American Tennis Association National Championships. Over 80,000 people play on these courts annually.

Previous Invitation to Bid (ITB) No. 12103-883, Resurface Fast Dry Tennis Courts, was issued on February 21, 2018. With only one bid received, and prior to opening, the due date was extended. Procurement reached out to vendors who viewed the bid and when asked why they had not submitted a bid, most responded that their schedules would not permit and the due date could not be met. The bid opened on March 26, 2018 with only one bidder, FDC. The pricing submitted was higher than what was budgeted. In accordance with the City's Code, Procurement attempted to negotiate but FDC was not willing to reduce pricing. This information was provided to the requesting department, and it was determined to re-bid with a more open timeline and in hopes for more favorable pricing.

ITB No. 12141-483 was opened on May 23, 2018 with one bid received and one no-bid. The bidder, FDC, has met all of the specifications of the bid and has been deemed as a responsive and responsible bidder.

Resource Impact

There will be a fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$108,742.

Funds available as of May 29, 2018					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
001-PKR033501-3428	Tennis Program	Services/ Materials Building Rep & Maint.	\$491,913	\$150,610	\$108,742
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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 out 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 – Contract

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