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## **VIA HAND-DELIVERY**

Jodi S. Hart Manager of Procurement and Contracts City of Fort Lauderdale 100 N. Andrews Avenue Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301

Re: AshBritt, Inc. Appeal of Protest Denial Dated August 24, 2018 Pertaining to Award Recommendation on City of Fort Lauderdale, Disaster Debris Removal and Management Services, RFP No.: 12149-885

Dear Ms. Hart:

In accordance with the City's Code, Section 2-182(c)(2), on behalf of Ashbritt, Inc. we hereby appeal your August 24, 2018 decision denying Ashbritt's protest of the Award Recommendation/Intent to Award on the above-referenced RFP. We respectfully request that this appeal be scheduled for consideration by the City Commission and will await your formal notification of the date thereof.

The grounds for this appeal are stated in our original protest letter dated August 17, 2018 which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit "A." We respectfully disagree with the analysis stated in your August 24, 2018 letter denying the protest and reserve all arguments with respect to the same for presentation before the City Commission.

Your courtesy and consideration in this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you require any additional information or clarification, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

WILLIAM G. SALIM, JR

Very truly yours,

cc: Laurie Platkin, Procurement Specialist (via email)

Client