



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

20-0046

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

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: February 18, 2020

TITLE: Motion Approving Contract for Web Uniforms and Equipment from Galls, LLC – \$130,000 (one-year total) – (**Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4**)

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve an annual contract, in substantially the form attached, for Web Uniforms and Equipment based on Contract No. 14036AG between the Broward Sheriff's Office ("BSO") and Galls, LLC, in the amount of \$130,000 and authorize the City Manager to approve the automatic renewals coterminous with the BSO contract.

Background

The City of Fort Lauderdale's Fire-Rescue Department requires uniforms to maintain attire and grooming standards for all firefighters, officers, and ocean rescue lifeguards. All previous uniform contracts have been allowed to expire due to excessive number of contracts utilized to purchase uniforms. Galls, LLC will provide a single platform to purchase uniforms for the entire Fire-Rescue Department. Additionally, previous Fire-Rescue uniforms have not been compliant with National Fire Protection Agency ("NFPA") recommended standards. This contract will allow all firefighters responding to emergencies to be protected by fire resistive garments underneath the gear to further protect the skin when operating at a fire and or being exposed to a chemical flash hazard.

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, if the chief procurement officer determines that it is practicable and advantageous for the city to employ this method of procurement. The chief procurement officer has determined that it would be practicable and advantageous for the city to use this method of procurement for this agreement. This purchase will be made in accordance with Broward Sheriff's Contract No. 14036AG from Galls, LLC in the amount of \$130,000. The contract is currently on its second renewal expiring on August 16, 2020 and has three automatic renewals remaining.

Resource Impact

There will be a FY20 fiscal impact in the amount of \$130,000 for this item. Funds for this

contract are available in the accounts listed below:

<i>Funds available as of January 22, 2020</i>					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
001-FIR010102.3949	Ocean Rescue & Investigations	Services and Materials/ Uniforms	\$124,142	\$120,026	\$30,000
001-FIR030101.3949	Fire-Rescue Support	Services and Materials/ Uniforms	\$3,398,332	\$1,509,074	\$100,000
TOTAL →					\$130,000

Strategic Connections

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Public Safety Focus Area
- Goal 6: Build a safe and well-prepared community.
- Objective: Provide quick and exceptional fire, medical, and emergency response.

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

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – BSO Contract with Galls, LLC

Exhibit 2 – City Piggyback with Galls, LLC

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