

#20-0187

**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM**: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE**: February 18, 2020

**TITLE**: Motion Approving Agreement with Manica Architecture, PA for

Architectural Consulting Services for the Proposed Community Center at the Former Lockhart Stadium Site for an Amount

not-to-exceed \$50,000 – (Commission District 1)

## Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve an agreement with Manica Architecture, PA for consulting services for the proposed Community Center at the former Lockhart Stadium Site for an amount not to exceed \$50,000.

## **Background**

On September 3, 2019, the City Commission approved resolution 19-177 to waive the competitive solicitation process for procuring the services of an architect in connection with the development of the proposed community center at the south end of the former Lockhart Stadium site (Attachment 1). Upon further direction from the City Commission on October 15, 2019, City staff negotiated an agreement with Manica Architecture, PA ("Manica").

Manica will be responsible for the investigation, discussion, and resolution of Programming, Site Planning, and Architectural Massing for the proposed community center. The agreement term is for two (2) years, and it is structured on a not to exceed amount of \$50,000, not inclusive of reimbursables.

#### **Resource Impact**

The estimate cost of this contract is \$50,000. The funding to support this effort will come from Parks Bond proceeds. This item is contingent on the approval of the March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 Consolidated Budget Amendment, CAM #20-0088.

## **Strategic Connections**

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2024* initiative, specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Focus Area
- Goal 3: Build a healthy and engaging community
- Objective: Improve access to and enjoyment of our beach, waterways, parks, and open spaces for everyone

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# **Attachments**

Exhibit 1 – Resolution 19-177

Exhibit 2 – Manica Architecture Agreement

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