



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

#21-0407

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

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: May 4, 2021

TITLE: Motion Approving Eighth Amendment to Agreement for Sampling and
Analytical Services at Wingate Landfill and Incinerator Site – TASK
Environmental, Inc. - \$44,885 – **(Commission District 3)**

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission approve an amendment to the agreement with TASK Environmental, Inc. (TASK) for sampling/analytical and consulting services at the Wingate Landfill and Incinerator Site (Wingate) located at 1300 Northwest 31st Avenue for the next five (5) years in the amount of \$44,885.

Background

TASK has served as the City's prime consultant for Wingate since 1992 and was involved in the development of the remedial investigation and the feasibility study which resulted in the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issuing a Record of Decision (ROD) in May 1996. The ROD mandated specific site closure conditions which necessitates continued technical oversight, review, and coordination with the EPA and other agencies. In addition, the sampling and analysis required by the consent decree makes TASK the most logical firm to continue this work for the next five (5) years based on EPA's five-year reporting cycle.

The sampling/analytical and consulting services will cover a period from May 18, 2021 through September 30, 2026 as described in Exhibit 1.

TASK has been an integral part of the overall technical, legal, and regulatory aspects of this closure and is familiar with current and historic activities associated with the site. Their continued participation will help ensure that the City's technical objectives for the site closure are met and that the closure supports the long-term beneficial end use of the site.

Resource Impact

There is no resource impact for FY21. The resource impacts starting in FY22 are contingent upon City Commission adoption and appropriation of future years' annual budgets, specifically in PBS090101–3199, and is estimated as follows:

FY 2022 - \$11,000
FY 2023 - \$6,000
FY 2024 - \$15,885
FY 2025 - \$6,000
FY 2026 - \$6,000

The cost differential in FY 22 is attributed to an increase of labor and expenses required for records disposal. The cost differential in FY 24 is due to additional labor and expenses related to fish tissue sampling. A full breakdown of the fees can be found in Exhibit 1.

Strategic Connections

This item is a 2021 Top Commission Priority advancing the Parks and Public Places initiative.

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

- The Public Places Focus Area.
- Goal 3: Build a healthy and engaging community.
- Objective: Improve water quality and our natural environment

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

Attachments

Exhibit 1 - Fee Schedule
Exhibit 2 - Eighth Amendment to Agreement
Exhibit 3 - Wingate Landfill & Incinerator Site Map

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