



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING

#21-0484

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

FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: May 18, 2021

TITLE: Motion Approving Agreement for Stormwater Infrastructure Desilting Services
– DP Development LLC – \$392,900 - **(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission approve a piggyback agreement for the purchase of silt removal services from DP Development, LLC (“DP”) via Broward County Board of County Commissioners, FL (“BC”) Agreement No. PNC2117271B1 – General Roadway and Miscellaneous Construction in the estimated amount of \$392,900.

Background

The City of Fort Lauderdale is responsible for the maintenance of stormwater infrastructure throughout the City including 187 miles of stormwater pipes, 1,290 manholes, 1,067 stormwater outfalls, 9,144 catch basins, 331 junction boxes, and 13 drainage wells. Proper maintenance of the stormwater system, including the proactive removal of silts and debris, is essential to prevent flooding by ensuring proper drainage, conveyance, and capacity. This effort is beyond the basic maintenance performed by in-house resources.

The BC agreement with DP includes the services that the City of Fort Lauderdale will need for the proactive inspection, maintenance, flushing and removal of silts and debris from the City’s stormwater infrastructure.

Pursuant to Section 2-181(f)(5)(b), Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, *the City may participate in 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 proposed method of procurement.*

The Chief Procurement Officer has determined that it would be practicable and advantageous for the City to use the proposed method of procurement for proposed agreement. Proposed agreement will be made in accordance with Bid No. PCN2120885B1 – General Roadway and Miscellaneous Construction from Broward County with DP.

Resource Impact

Funds for this purchase in the amount of \$392,900 are available in the FY 2021 Budget in the account listed below: Future years' expenditures are contingent upon the approval and appropriation of the annual budgets.

| <i>Funds available as of May 11, 2021</i> | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------|--|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|
| ACCOUNT NUMBER | INDEX NAME (Program) | CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME | AMENDED BUDGET (Character) | AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character) | PURCHASE AMOUNT |
| 470-PBS660511-3299 | Storm Drain Maintenance | Services/Materials / Other Services | \$1,789,098 | \$1,033,909 | \$392,900 |
| TOTAL AMOUNT ► | | | | | \$392,900 |

Strategic Connections

This item is a *2021 Top Commission Priority*, advancing the Infrastructure initiative.

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

- Infrastructure
- Goal 1: Build a sustainable and resilient community
- Objective: Proactively maintain our water, wastewater, stormwater, road and bridge infrastructure

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

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – BC Agreement

Exhibit 2 – Agreement

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