



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

| TO: | Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission |
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| FROM: | Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager |
| DATE: | June 15, 2021 |
| TITLE: | Motion Canceling Agreement with J-MAC Cleaning Services Inc. and Award Agreement to Mainguy Environmental Care, Inc. for Turf Grass Maintenance NE Quadrant - \$231,870 - (Commission Districts 1 and 2) |

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission cancel the agreement with J-MAC Cleaning Services Inc. (J-MAC) and award a one-year agreement to Mainguy Environmental Care, Inc., in substantially the form attached, for the purchase of turf grass maintenance, for the NE quadrant in the amount of \$231,870 and authorize the City Manager to approve three (3) one-year renewal options, contingent upon appropriation of funds.

Background

On February 2, 2021, the City Commission awarded Contract No. 12473-513 for the purchase of turf grass maintenance of the NE guadrant to J-MAC as the lowest cost, responsive and responsible bidder with services beginning on March 20, 2021 (CAM 21-0124). On May 18, 2021, J-MAC notified the City they were unable to properly maintain the NE quadrant and requested to be released from their contractual duties. Second lowest bidder, Grass Roots Complete LLC does not meet the minimum requirements of the bid and has been deemed non-responsive. Third lowest bidder, Mainguy Environmental Care, Inc. has met all the specifications of the bid and has been deemed the lowest cost responsive and responsible bidder.

Resource Impact

Funds for this agreement in the amount of \$96,613 are available in the FY 2021 Operating Budget in the account listed below:

| Funds available as of May 19, 2021 | | | | | | | |
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| ACCOUNT NUMBER | INDEX NAME (Program) | CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME | AMENDED BUDGET (Character) | AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character) | PURCHASE AMOUNT | | |
| 001-PKR062901-3237 | General Parks Maintenance | Services/Materials – Lawn & Tree Services | \$7,159,474 | \$2,516,655 | \$96,613 | | |
| | | | PURCH | ASE TOTAL 🕨 | \$96,613 | | |

<u>Strategic Connections</u> 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 access to and enjoyment of our beach, waterways, parks, and open spaces for everyone

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

Attachments

Exhibit 1 – Solicitation Exhibit 2 – Tabulation Exhibit 3 – Agreement

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