

RESOLUTION No. 19-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AWARDED REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS #2018-32, "BOND COUNSEL SERVICES," TO THE FIRST RANKED FIRM; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH GREENBERG TRAUERIG, P.A.; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, on November 14, 2018, Request for Qualifications #2018-32, "Bond and Disclosure Counsel Services" (the "RFQ"), was advertised for the provision of Bond and Disclosure Counsel Services; and

WHEREAS, six (6) proposal submittals were received on or before November 30, 2018; and

WHEREAS, evaluation meetings were held on December 13, 2018 where all submitted proposals were scored and ranked.; and

WHEREAS, on December 21, 2018 presentations were held for the top three ranked firms; and

WHEREAS, the evaluation committee determined that based on a five hundred (500) Point System; the firms ranked as follows:

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| 1. Greenberg Traurig, P.A. | 493 points |
| 2. Bryant Miller Olive, P.A. | 453 points |
| 3. Akerman LLP | 431 points |

WHEREAS, staff respectfully recommends the approval to award Request for Qualifications #2018-32 for Bond Counsel to the first ranked firm and authorize the City Manager to negotiate and enter into an agreement with Greenberg Traurig.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Recitals. The above recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by this reference.

Section 2. Award. Request for Qualifications #2018-32 for Bond Counsel services is hereby awarded to Greenberg Traurig. This award, in and of itself, does not vest Greenberg Traurig with any rights, absent entering into an agreement with the City in furtherance hereof.

Section 3. Authorization to Procure Services. The City Manager is hereby authorized to negotiate and enter into an agreement with Greenberg Traurig for Bond Counsel services. The agreement is subject to approval by the City Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency and on such other terms and conditions as may be appropriate to protect and further the interests of the City.

Section 4. Implementation. The City Manager and the City Attorney are hereby authorized to take such action as may be necessary to implement the provisions of this Resolution.

Section 5. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Mariaca who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Cabral and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Claudia Mariaca	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilman Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Christi Fraga	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9 day of January 2019.




JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:



CONNIE DIAZ, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF DORAL ONLY:



LUIS FIGUEREDO
CITY ATTORNEY