



Edward Rojas

City Manager

August 9, 2017

Tia Laurie
Director of Administration
Ceres Environmental Services Inc
6968 Professional Parkway E.
Sarasota, FL 34240

Ref: ITB #2013-14 Emergency Debris Removal Services, Contract Extension.

Dear Mr. Perkins,

As you are aware, the above referenced contract is for an initial term of two (2) years with the option to renew for an additional two one (1) year terms. The initial two year Contract expired on August 20, 2015 and the executed second one year extension will expire on August 20, 2017.

The City of Doral hereby invites your firm to extend the contract until December 31, 2017. This Contract extension will be under all the same terms, conditions and prices as the original contract.

Please kindly confirm receipt of this letter at your earliest convenience.

The City wishes to thank you and your team for the services you have provided over the last year. It is fully realized that on occasions you have gone over and above that of which was expected of you in your efforts to provide the best possible service to the City of Doral.

If you have any question please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,


Edward Rojas
City Manager

Accepted: Ceres Environmental Services Inc



Tia Laurie, Director of Administration

Date: 8/21/2017

RESOLUTION No. 17-143

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXTEND THE CONTRACT WITH CERES ENVIRONMENTAL, ASHBRIIT ENVIRONMENTAL, AND DRC EMERGENCY SERVICES FOR THE PROVISION OF EMERGENCY DEBRIS REMOVAL SERVICES UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2017 UNDER THE SAME TERMS AND CONDITIONS AS THE EXISTING AGREEMENT, WITH COSTS INCURRED ONLY UPON THE CITY'S REQUEST FOLLOWING AN ACTUAL EMERGENCY; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXTEND THE AGREEMENT AND TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS ON BEHALF OF THE CITY IN FURTHERANCE HEREOF; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, on August 20, 2013, the City of Doral (the "City") entered into a two (2) year contract with two (2) one-year (1) options to extend with Ceres Environmental (Ceres), AshBritt Environmental (AshBritt), and DRC Emergency Services (DRC) for the provision of emergency debris removal services as approved by Resolution No. 13-67; and

WHEREAS, on August 20, 2016, the City executed the final option-to-extend which will expire on August 20, 2017; and

WHEREAS, during the contract period, Ceres, AshBritt, and DRC have provided exceptional service to the City at no cost to the City; and

WHEREAS, this request will allow the City to properly respond to any emergency throughout the duration of the 2017 hurricane season, and will also allow the Public Works Department to re-advertise these services and create an agreement that will not expire during the middle of a subsequent hurricane season; and

WHEREAS, staff has recommended that the City Council authorize the City Manager to execute the extension letter, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A",

for Ceres, AshBritt, and DRC, which will be under the same terms, conditions, and prices as the original contract.

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 part hereof by this reference.

Section 2. Approval. The extension of existing agreements between the City of Doral and Ceres Environmental, AshBritt Environmental, and DRC Emergency Services for the provision of emergency debris removal services until December 31, 2017, under the same terms and conditions of the existing agreement, is hereby approved.

Section 3. Authorization. The City Manager is authorized to execute the extension letters and expend budgeted funds on the behalf of the City in furtherance hereof.

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

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

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

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Christi Fraga	Yes
Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca	Yes
Councilwoman Ana Maria Rodriguez	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9 day of August, 2017.



JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:



CONNIE DIAZ, CMC
CITY CLERK

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



WEISS, SEROTA, HELFMAN, COLE & BIERMAN, P.L.
CITY ATTORNEY