

**RESOLUTION No. 20-234**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXTEND THE CURRENT CONTRACTS FOR THE EXISTING GENERAL ENGINEERING CONSULTANT POOL FOR THREE (3) MONTHS CONSISTING OF THESE FIRMS: A&P CONSULTING TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERS CORP., ADA ENGINEERING, BCC ENGINEERING, EAC CONSULTING, FR ALEMAN, GANNETT FLEMING, HW LOCHNER, MARLIN ENGINEERING, PEVIDA HIGHWAY DESIGNERS, AND WANTMAN GROUP; FOR THE PROVISION OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS ON BEHALF OF THE CITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, in response to RFQ #2017-21 the Mayor and City-Council members awarded the ten (10) highest ranked firms for the provision of Professional General Engineering and Architectural Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the current contracts for the ten firms expire in the first quarter of 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, the City advertised RFQ 2020-22, and due to a bid protest, there will not be sufficient time to award the next cycle of contracts before the existing contracts expire; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to not leave a gap in professional services while negotiations are on-going, staff respectfully recommends that the City Council authorize the City Manager to extend the existing contracts on a month to month basis for a period of no more than three (3) months.

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

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

**Section 2. Approval.** The City Council hereby approves the contract extension on a month to month basis for no-more than three (3) months.

**Section 3. Authorization.** The City Manager is authorized to extend the contracts and expend budgeted funds for professional services associated with the existing Professional Services Agreements.

**Section 4. Implementation.** The City Manager and the City Attorney are hereby authorized to take such further 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 Mariaca who moved its adoption.

The motion was seconded by Councilmember Cabrera and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14 day of October, 2020.

  
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JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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CONNIE DIAZ, MMC  
CITY CLERK

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

  
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LUIS FIGUEREDO, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY