

**RESOLUTION No. 21-142**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AWARDED REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS #2021-14 “DISASTER DEBRIS MONITORING SERVICES” AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH TETRA TECH, INC FOR THE PROVISION OF DISASTER DEBRIS MONITORING SERVICES DURING EMERGENCIES ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO NEGOTIATE AND ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE NEXT QUALIFIED FIRM SUCCESSIVELY IF AN AGREEMENT CAN NOT BE NEGOTIATED WITH THE TOP RANKED FIRM;THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY THE CITY ATTORNEY AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY AND EXPEND FUNDS ON BEHALF OF THE CITY IN FURTHERANCE HEREOF; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, South Florida has a high exposure to hurricanes and tropical storms that can create a large economic impact; and

**WHEREAS**, the best way to mitigate these impacts is to have properly trained City staff and adequate resources that can respond to these emergencies in a timely manner; and

**WHEREAS**, on May 23, 2018, the Mayor and the City Councilmembers awarded ITB #2018-09, “Emergency Debris Removal Services”, to three (3) vendors, Custom Tree Care, Ceres Environmental, and DRC Emergency Services, via Resolution No. 18-89 (approved 5-0); and

**WHEREAS**, another important component of a properly established response plan is the debris monitoring services; and

**WHEREAS**, for debris monitoring services the City currently has a contract with Tetra Tech, Inc. which is set to expire in June 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, RFP No. 2021-14 “Disaster Debris Monitoring Services” was issued on April 21, 2021 for the purpose of providing Disaster Debris Monitoring Services for an initial contract term of three (3) years with an option to renew for two (2) additional one (1) year terms; and

**WHEREAS**, a total of eleven (11) vendors attended the Mandatory Pre-Proposal Meeting held on April 29, 2021, and five (5) submittals were received and opened on May 21, 2021, with all firms meeting the required criteria; and

**WHEREAS**, Tetra Tech, Inc. was deemed the highest scorer and most responsive responsible bidder; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager’s Office respectfully requests that the Mayor and the City Council-Members award RFP 2021-14 “Disaster Debris Monitoring Services” to Tetra Tech, Inc., and authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement between the City of Doral and Tetra Tech, Inc. for disaster debris monitoring services, during emergencies, on an as needed basis; and

**WHEREAS**, Funding for these services will be allocated in the City’s Emergency Fund.

**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 part hereof by this reference.

**Section 2. Approval.** The award of RFP 2021-14 “Disaster Debris Monitoring Services” for events during emergencies, on an as needed basis, is hereby approved.

**Section 3. Authorization.** The City Manager is authorized to execute the Agreement with Tetra Tech, Inc. and expend funds on behalf of the City in furtherance hereof. If an agreement cannot be negotiated, the City Manager is authorized to negotiate and enter into an agreement with the next qualified firm successively.

**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 Puig-Corve and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

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| Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez   | Yes            |
| Vice Mayor Pete Cabrera      | Absent/Excused |
| Councilwoman Digna Cabral    | Yes            |
| Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca | Yes            |
| Councilman Oscar Puig-Corve  | Yes            |

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9 day of June, 2021.

  
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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