

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITY MANAGER, PURSUANT TO INVITATION TO BID (ITB) 2022-162-AY, TO ESTABLISH A POOL OF VENDORS FOR BONDED AGGREGATE SERVICES TO EXPEDITE THE SELECTION OF VENDORS FOR FUTURE PROJECTS, AND APPROVING AUSTIN TUPLER TRUCKING, INC., CHIN DIESEL INC., AND METRO EXPRESS INC AS THE INITIAL POOL OF QUALIFIED VENDORS; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO KEEP THE ITB OPEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF PREQUALIFYING ADDITIONAL VENDORS; DELEGATING TO THE CITY MANAGER THE AUTHORITY TO ADD OR REMOVE VENDORS TO THE POOL, PROVIDED THAT SUCH VENDORS MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE ITB; AND PROVIDING THAT ANY PURCHASE IN EXCESS OF \$100,000 SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE PRIOR APPROVAL OF THE CITY COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, on December 23, 2021, the City issued Invitation to Bid 2022-162-AY (the "ITB") to establish a contract, by means of sealed applications, with qualified vendors for the establishment of a prequalified pool of suppliers for bonded aggregate services; and

WHEREAS, on January 13, 2022, the City received bids from Austin Tupler Trucking, Inc., Chin Diesel Inc., and Metro Express Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the ITB stipulates that all qualified vendors which meet or exceed the prequalification criteria established in the solicitation would be placed on a prequalification list that may be accessed by various City departments to obtain price quotations for the required services; and

WHEREAS, in its due diligence, the Procurement Department found that Austin Tupler Trucking, Inc., Chin Diesel Inc., and Metro Express Inc. met the requirements of the ITB; and

WHEREAS, the prequalified contractors list is included in Exhibit "A" to the commission memorandum accompanying this Resolution; and

WHEREAS, as necessary, the City will seek quotes from all prequalified contractors for the services required; and

WHEREAS, for purchases up to \$100,000, the approval of the City Manager or designee will be required in accordance with the City Manager's existing delegated procurement authority under the City Code; purchases exceeding \$100,000 will be submitted to the City Commission for consideration and approval; and

WHEREAS, to maximize competition among the prequalified vendors, the Administration is recommending that the ITB remain open to permit the City Manager to qualify additional contractors as part of the pool, provided that such contractors meet all of the requirements of the ITB.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, that the Mayor and City Commission hereby accept the recommendation of the City Manager, pursuant to Invitation to Bid (ITB) 2022-162-AY, to

establish a pool of vendors for bonded aggregate services to expedite the selection of vendors for future projects, and approve Austin Tupler Trucking, Inc., Chin Diesel Inc., and Metro Express Inc. as the initial pool of qualified vendors; authorize the City Manager to keep the ITB open for the purpose of prequalifying additional vendors; delegate to the City Manager the authority to add or remove vendors to the pool, provided that such vendors meet the requirements of the ITB; and provide that any purchase in excess of \$100,000 shall be subject to the prior approval of the City Commission.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____ 2022.

ATTEST:

RAFAEL E. GRANADO, CITY CLERK

DAN GELBER, MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION



City Attorney DA

3-21-22

Date