

RESOLUTION NO. 21-1715

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR ITB 2021-08, LAKE MAINTENANCE SERVICES TO SOLITUDE LAKE MANAGEMENT, LAKE AND WETLAND MANAGEMENT, AND DEANGELO BROTHERS, INC. DBA AQUAGENIX IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED BUDGETED FUNDS; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 5(b) of the Town’s Procurement Ordinance 17-203 provides that procurements in excess of \$15,000 shall require the use of competitive sealed bidding; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 5 of Town Ordinance 17-203, the Town issued an Invitation to Bid (“ITB”) No. 2021-08 on December 1, 2020, for Lake Maintenance Services; and

WHEREAS, the ITB was advertised online via two public bidding websites, DemandStar and Public Purchase, and was physically posted in the Government Center Lobby; and

WHEREAS, the Town received four (4) proposals by the proposal deadline, December 22, 2020, from DeAngelo Brothers, Inc. dba Aquagenix (“Aquagenix), Lake and Wetland Management, Inc. (“Lake and Wetland”), Solitude Lake Management (“Solitude”), and Superior Waterway Services (“Superior”); and

WHEREAS, based on due diligence, Procurement determined that the second-lowest bid, Superior, was non-responsive; and

WHEREAS, Procurement recommended awarding contracts to Solitude, Lake and Wetland Management, and Aquagenix in amounts not to exceed budgeted funds;

WHEREAS, the Town Manager concurs with Procurement's recommendation and recommends the Town Council authorize the awards of contracts to Solitude, Lake and Wetland Management, and Aquagenix for lake maintenance services in amounts not to exceed budgeted funds; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council approves the recommendations of the Town Manager and authorizes the Town Manager to enter into contracts with Solitude, Lake and Wetland Management, Aquagenix for lake maintenance services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. The foregoing Recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 2. Approval of the Contract. The Town Council hereby approves the award of contracts to Solitude, Lake and Wetland Management, and Aquagenix in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A" for lake maintenance services in amounts not to exceed budgeted funds (hereinafter referred to as "Contract").

Section 3. Authorization of Town Officials. The Town Manager, his designee and the Town Attorney are authorized to take all steps necessary to implement the terms and conditions of the Contracts.

Section 4. **Authorization of Fund Expenditure.** The Town Manager is authorized to expend budgeted funds to implement the terms and conditions of this Resolution and the Contracts.

Section 5. **Execution of the Contract.** The Town Manager is authorized to execute Contracts with Solitude, Lake and Wetland Management, and Aquagenix in amounts not to exceed budgeted funds and to execute any extension and/or amendments to the Contracts, subject to approval as to form and legality by the Town Attorney.

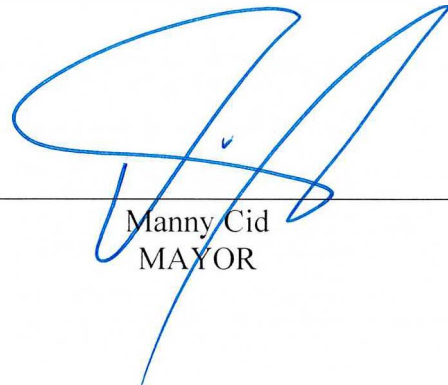
Section 6. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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Passed and adopted this 12th day of January 2021.

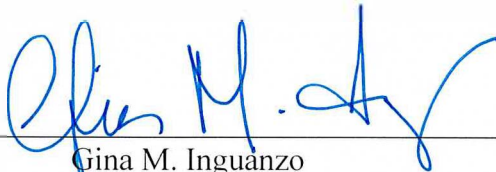
The foregoing resolution was offered by Councilmember Alvarez who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Dieguez and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Manny Cid	yes
Vice Mayor Luis E. Collazo	yes
Councilmember Carlos O. Alvarez	yes
Councilmember Josh Dieguez	yes
Councilmember Tony Fernandez	yes
Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez	yes
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano	yes



Manny Cid
MAYOR

Attest:



Gina M. Inguanzo
TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:



Raul Gastesi, Jr.
Gastesi, Lopez and Mestre, PLLC.
TOWN ATTORNEY

EXHIBIT A

Agreements
between the
Town of Miami Lakes
and
**Solitude Lake Management
Lake and Wetland Management
DeAngelo Brothers, Inc. dba Aquagenix**
for
Lake Maintenance Services
ITB 2021-08