

RESOLUTION NO. 23-1939

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE AWARD OF CONTRACTS FOR RFP 2023-30, ATHLETIC FIELD MAINTENANCE SERVICES TO BRIGHTVIEW LANDSCAPE SERVICES, INC. AND JUNIPER LANDSCAPING OF FLORIDA, LLC. IN AMOUNTS NOT TO EXCEED BUDGETED FUNDS PER PARK; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Miami Lakes (the “Town”) requires specialized athletic field care for both Miami Lakes Optimist Park (“MLOP”) and Royal Oaks Park (“ROP”); and

WHEREAS, Chapter 2, Article V, Division 2, Section 2-157 of the Town Code provides that procurements in excess of \$15,000 shall require the use of competitive sealed bidding; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Chapter 2, Article V, Division 2, Section 2-157 of the Town Code, the Town issued a Request for Proposals (“RFP”) No. 2023-30 on June 15, 2023, for Athletic Field Maintenance Services; and

WHEREAS, the RFP was advertised in the Miami Daily Business Review as well as online via two public bidding websites, DemandStar and Public Purchase, and was physically posted in the Government Center Lobby; and

WHEREAS, the Town received two (2) proposals by the proposal deadline from:

1. BrightView Landscape Services, Inc. (“BrightView”)
2. Juniper Landscaping of Florida, LLC (“Juniper”)

WHEREAS, an Evaluation Committee was appointed comprised of the following individuals:

1. Jeremy Bajdaun, Director of Parks and Recreation, Town of Miami Lakes
2. Dr. Jose Orellana, D.Th., Green Space Maintenance Superintendent, Town of Miami Lakes
3. Austin Tubbs, Parks and Athletics Manager, Town of Miami Lakes

WHEREAS, the Evaluation Committee recommended awarding two (2) contracts: one to BrightView for services at MLOP and one to Juniper for services at ROP; and

WHEREAS, the Town Manager concurs with the Committee's findings and recommends the approval of the contracts with BrightView for services at MLOP and Juniper for services at ROP in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds per park; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council approves the recommendations of the Town Manager and authorizes the Town Manager to enter into contracts with BrightView for services at MLOP and Juniper for services at ROP.

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 BrightView Landscape Services, Inc. for services at the Miami Lakes Optimist Park and Juniper Landscaping of Florida, LLC for services at Royal Oaks Park in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A" in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds per park (hereinafter referred to as "Contract").

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

Section 4. **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 Contract.

Section 5. **Execution of the Contract.** The Town Manager is authorized to execute the Contracts with BrightView Landscape Services, Inc. for athletic field maintenance services at Miami Lakes Optimist Park and Juniper Landscaping of Florida, LLC for athletic field maintenance services at Royal Oaks Park in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds per park, and to execute any extension and/or amendments to the Contract, subject to approval as to form and legality by the Town Attorney.

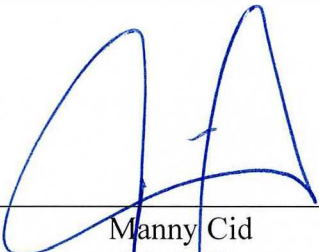
Section 6. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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Passed and adopted this 8th day of August 2023.

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

Mayor Manny Cid	Yes
Vice Mayor Carlos O. Alvarez	Absent
Councilmember Luis E. Collazo	Yes
Councilmember Josh Dieguez	Absent
Councilmember Tony Fernandez	Yes
Councilmember Ray Garcia	Yes
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano	Yes




Manny Cid
MAYOR

Attest:



Gina M. Inguanzo
TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:



Lorenzo Cobiella
Gastesi, Lopez, and Mestre, PLLC
DEPUTY TOWN ATTORNEY

EXHIBIT A

Agreement
between the
Town of Miami Lakes
and
**Brightview Landscape Services, Inc. and Juniper
Landscaping of Florida, LLC**
for
Athletic Field Maintenance Services, RFP 2023-30