



City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
December 12, 2023

ITEM TITLE:

A Resolution authorizing the ratification of an emergency authorization of a critical resurfacing project needed to get the clay tennis courts back to safe playing conditions at the Salvadore Park Tennis Center located at 1120 Andalusia Ave. following the storm on Nov. 15, 2023, pursuant to Section 2-690 Emergency Procurement, in the amount of \$200,000.

DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION:

Approval.

BRIEF HISTORY:

On the evening of Wednesday, Nov. 15, 2023, a severe storm came through with excessive rain and wind which in part flooded the courts resulting in severe loss of clay material and damage to the tennis courts at the Salvadore Park Tennis Center. A larger resurfacing project is needed to get the courts back to safe playing conditions. This is a safety issue as players can slip and fall or trip on the lines where the material has eroded.

These repairs include the resurfacing of thirteen (13) Har-Tru (Marl) tennis courts, removal of visible surface algae and dead material; removal of old lines and nails, application of new Har-Tru material, installment of new herringbone style line tapes to USTA specifications, repaint net posts and reinstall existing tennis nets and center straps. Courts will be rolled to initial firmness.

The requested emergency authority is in the amount of \$200,000 to cover any unforeseen additional costs to the quoted project repairs.

Under Section 2-690 of the Procurement Code, entitled “Emergency Procurement,” where the City Manager authorizes the emergency procurements of supplies, services, or construction when there exists an immediate threat to public health, welfare, or safety or to prevent or minimize serious disruption of government services.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

No.	Amount	Account No.	Source of Funds
1.	\$200,000	310-6001-572-6350 Project “Clay Court – GCI”	CIP Parks Repair & Replacement Matrix
Total:	\$200,000		

Fiscal Impact:

The impact of \$200,000 is to the Community Recreation CIP parks repair and replacement matrix which may impact parks projects planned for future court resurfacing. It is the city’s expectation to be reimbursed for these unforeseen emergency expenditures as it relates to the open insurance claim resulting from city-wide damages of the storm.

ATTACHMENT (S):

1. Resolution
2. Project Quoted Proposal