

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2010-56

RESOLUTION RESCINDING RESOLUTION 2009-81, THAT AUTHORIZED THE PURCHASE OF A MACK 2 LOW PROFILE SURFACE DREDGER FROM LIVERPOOL WATER WITCH MARINE & ENGINEERING COMPANY, LTD., FROM LIVERPOOL, UK AND AMENDING RESOLUTION 2009-137 BY NOT APPROPRIATING THE FUNDS FROM THE STORMWATER UTILITY FUND FOR SAID PURCHASE.

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department currently utilizes a Water Witch to perform maintenance on City canals such as seaweed removal and bridge repair, with the vessel being in operation approximately one-hundred twenty (120) hours per year; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2008, the City Commission passed and adopted Resolution 2009-81 which authorized the purchase of a new Mack 2 Low Profile Surface Dredger from Liverpool Water Witch Marine & Engineering Co. Ltd., of Liverpool, UK at a cost of £129,600.00 (\$178,273.26 USD); and

WHEREAS, the current cost of the vessel is £137,305.00 (\$208,549.74 USD); and

WHEREAS, the Automotive Department is refurbishing the existing Water Witch Vessel at a cost of approximately \$10,000.00 to an operating condition that meets the City's canal maintenance requirements for the foreseeable future thereby eliminating the need to purchase the new Mack 2 Vessel; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 2-829 of the Procurement Code, the City Commission upon the recommendation of the City Manager has the sole authority to rescind an award on a single purchase in excess of \$100,000.00;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES:

SECTION 1. The foregoing "Whereas" clauses are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this resolution upon adoption hereof.

SECTION 2. That the City Commission does hereby rescind Resolution 2009-81, that authorized the purchase of a Mack 2 Low Profile Surface Dredger from Liverpool Water Witch Marine & Engineering Co. Ltd., in accordance with Section 2-829 of the Procurement Code; and does hereby amend Resolution 2009-137, by not appropriating the funds from the Stormwater Utility Fund for said purchase.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF MARCH, A.D., 2010.

(Moved: Anderson / Seconded: Kerdyk)

(Yeas: Cabrera, Kerdyk, Withers, Anderson, Slesnick)

(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote)

(Agenda Item: C-4)

APPROVED:



DONALD D. SLESNICK II
MAYOR

ATTEST:



WALTER J. FOEMAN
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



ELIZABETH M. HERNANDEZ
CITY ATTORNEY