CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2011-277

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER TO AUTHORIZE NEGOTIATIONS WITH C3TS, INC., ADA ENGINEERING, INC., AND AECOM TECHNICAL SERVICES, INC., OF CONTINUING CONTRACTS FOR GENERAL ENGINEERING CONSULTING SERVICES PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTE 287.055, KNOWN AS THE "CONSULTANTS COMPETITIVE NEGOTIATION ACT" AND REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ) 2011.08.19B.

WHEREAS, on August 19, 2011, the Procurement Division of Finance formally advertised the General Engineering Consultants Request for Qualifications (RFQ) 2011.08.19B; and

WHEREAS, on August 25, 2011, a non-mandatory pre-qualifications conference was held; and

WHEREAS, on October 11, 2011, nineteen (19) qualifications statements were submitted by: David Plummer & Associates, Bermello Ajamil & Partners, Inc., Lockwood Andrews & Newman, Inc., BCC Engineering, Inc., AECOM Technical Services, Inc., Biscayne Engineering Company, Inc., C3TS, Inc., M2E, LLC, LIVS Associates, SRS Engineering, Inc., Calvin Giordano & Associates, Inc., Atkins North America, Inc., A&P CT Corporation, CES Consultants, Inc., Milian Swain & Associates, Inc., URS Corporation Southern, Corradino Group, Inc., EAC Engineering, Inc., and ADA Engineering, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, on October 31, 2011, the Evaluation Committee met to evaluate the qualification statements, which resulted in six (6) firms being shortlisted as follows: C3TS, Inc., EAC Consulting, Inc., BCC Engineering, Inc., AECOM Technical Services, Inc., URS Corporation Southern and ADA Engineering, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, on November 2, 2011, the Evaluation Committee requested presentations of the shortlisted firms; and

WHEREAS, November 3, 2011, the Evaluation Committee developed a recommended list of firms, in order of preference, for pricing negotiations consisting of C3TS, Inc., ADA Engineering, Inc., AECOM Technical Services, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Procurement Officer recommends negotiations be authorized with the recommended list of firms pursuant to Florida Statute 287.055 known as the "Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act" and Request for Qualifications (RFQ) 2011.08.19B; and

WHEREAS, section 2-650 of the Procurement Code entitled "Authority" authorizes the Chief Procurement Officer to determine the highest responsive and responsible offeror and make recommendations;

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

SECTION 1. The foregoing "Whereas" clauses are hereby 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 accepts the recommendation of the Chief Procurement Officer to authorize negotiations with C3TS, Inc., ADA Engineering, Inc., and AECOM Technical Services, Inc., of continuing contracts for General Engineering Consulting Services pursuant to Florida Statute 287.055, known as the "Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act" and Request for Qualifications (RFQ) 2011.08.19B.

SECTION 3. That all Resolutions or parts of Resolutions inconsistent with, or in conflict herewith, shall be and are hereby repealed insofar as there is conflict or inconsistency.

SECTION 4. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS EIGHTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A.D., 2011.
(Moved: Anderson / Seconded: Quesada)
(Yeas: Cabrera, Quesada, Anderson, Cason)
(Majority: (4-0) Vote)
(Absent: Kerdyk)
(Agenda Item: C-9)

APPROVED:

JIM CASON
MAYOR

ATTEST:

WALTER FOEMAN
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

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CITY ATTORNEY