

**CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2011-38**

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER TO AWARD THE PONCE DE LEON ROAD FORCE MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT TO GPE ENGINEERING AND GENERAL CONTRACTORS CORPORATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,039,957.19 PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-828 ENTITLED "CONTRACT AWARD" OF THE PROCUREMENT CODE AND INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) 2010.12.27.

**WHEREAS**, on December 27, 2010, the Procurement Division of Finance formally advertised the Ponce de Leon Road Force Main Replacement Project Invitation for Bid (IFB) 2010.12.27; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 22, 2011, a non-mandatory pre-bid conference was held with eleven (11) prospective bidders in attendance of the fifty-four (54) contractors and subcontractors who either downloaded the bid document from the Procurement webpage or picked up the bid documents from the Procurement Division; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 27, 2011, twenty-one (21) responsive bids were submitted by: Danella Utility Construction, Inc., GPE Engineering and General Contractors Corporation, R&G Engineering, Wrangler Construction, Inc., JVA Engineering Contractor, Inc., Florida Engineering and Development, Metro Equipment Service, Inc., Persant Construction Company, Inc., Gonzalez and Sons Equipment, Inc., Metro Express, Scaltec USA, Atlantic Civil, Inc., Intercounty Engineering, Inc., Morlic Engineering Corporation, Caribe Utilities, Rock Power Paving, Southeastern Engineering, Giannetti Contracting Corporation, Acosta Tractors, Williams Paving Company, Inc., Coreland Construction and one (1) no bid response from Ram-Tech; and

**WHEREAS**, the lowest responsive responsible bid for the Ponce de Leon Road Force Main Replacement Project was submitted by GPE Engineering and General Contractors Corporation, with their bid of \$1,039,957.19; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2-650 entitled "Authority" of the Procurement Code authorizes the Chief Procurement Officer to determine the lowest or highest responsive and responsible bidder 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 does hereby authorize the City Manager to accept the recommendation of the Chief Procurement Officer to award the Ponce de Leon Road Force Main Replacement Project to GPE Engineering and General Contractors Corporation in the amount of \$1,039,957.19 pursuant to Section 2-828 entitled "Contract Award" of the Procurement Code and Invitation for Bid (IFB) 2010.12.27.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS EIGHT DAY OF MARCH, A.D., 2011.

(Moved: Kerdyk / Seconded: Anderson)

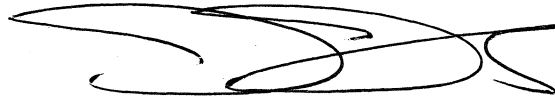
(Yeas: Kerdyk, Withers, Anderson, Slesnick)

(Majority: (4-1) Vote)

(Nays: Cabrera)

(Agenda Item: C-1)

APPROVED:



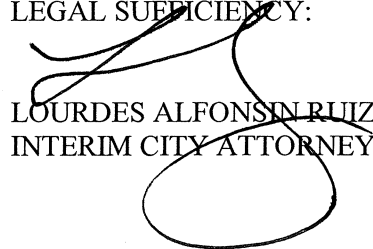
DONALD D. SLESNICK II  
MAYOR

ATTEST:



WALTER J. FOEMAN  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



LOURDES ALFONSI RUIZ  
INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY