

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-171

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION TO AUTHORIZE THE AWARD OF A PURCHASE AND SERVICE AGREEMENT WITH EARTH POWER SOLUTIONS, INC IN AN ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF \$121,836 AS A “SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT,” PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-689 OF THE CITY’S PROCUREMENT CODE.

WHEREAS, the Police Department has determined a need exists to maintain the Eaton backup power equipment for the City’s primary and secondary 911 dispatch centers, network data center, and replace three end-of-life UPS units at public safety radio sites, and

WHEREAS, Eaton Corporation is the creator, and manufacturer of the Eaton Uninterpretable Power Supply (UPS); and

WHEREAS, Earth Power Solutions, Inc. is an authorized representative for Eaton; and

WHEREAS, the cost to acquire replacement equipment and maintenance services will be in an estimated amount of \$121,836; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-689 of the Procurement Code, entitled “Sole Source Procurement” authorizes an award without competitive bids when there is only one source available to fulfill the needs of the city; and

WHEREAS, Section 2-585 of the Procurement Code, entitled “Authority” authorizes the City Manager to delegate authority to the Procurement Officer to administer and make recommendations on awards;

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 and authorizes the City Manager to enter into a purchase and service agreement with Earth Power Solutions, Inc., in an amount not to exceed the available budget and to cover on-going maintenance needs pursuant to Section 2-689 of the City’s Procurement Code.

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


PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D., 2024.
(Moved: Menendez / Seconded: Fernandez)
(Unanimous Voice Vote)
(Agenda Item: D-10)

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