

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

DRAFT RESOLUTION _____

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER TO AUTHORIZE NEGOTIATIONS WITH FERGUSON GLASGOW SCHUSTER SOTO, INC., GURRI MATUTE, P.A., MC HARRY ASSOCIATES, RJ HEISENBOTTLE ARCHITECTS, AND AECOM TECHNICAL SERVICES, INC., OF CONTINUING CONTRACTS PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTE 287.055, KNOWN AS THE “CONSULTANTS COMPETITIVE NEGOTIATION ACT” AND REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ) 2015.09.17.

WHEREAS, on September 17, 2015, the Procurement Division formally advertised the Architectural Consultant Request for Qualifications (RFQ) 2015.09.17; and

WHEREAS, on September 23, 2015, a non-mandatory pre-qualifications conference was held with eleven (11) prospective firms in attendance, out of the twenty (20) firms and subcontractors who obtained the RFQ document from the Procurement Division; and

WHEREAS, on October 19, 2015, ten (10) qualifications statements were submitted by the following: AECOM Technical Services, Inc., Ferguson Glasgow Schuster Soto, Inc., Gurri Matute, P.A., MC Harry Associates, RJ Heisenbottle Architects, Leo A Daly, BEA Architects, Inc., Angel C. Saqui, FAIA, Allequez Architecture, Inc., and Mobio Architecture, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, on November 17, 2015, the Evaluation Committee met to evaluate the qualification statements, which resulted in six (6) firms being shortlisted as follows: AECOM Technical Services, Inc., Ferguson Glasgow Schuster Soto Inc., Gurri Matute, P.A., MC Harry Associates, RJ Heisenbottle Architects, and BEA Architects, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, on December 9 and 11, 2015, the Evaluation Committee requested presentations of the shortlisted firms; and

WHEREAS, after the presentations the Evaluation Committee developed a recommended list of firms, in order of preference, for pricing negotiations consisting of: Ferguson Glasgow Schuster Soto Inc., Gurri Matute, P.A., MC Harry Associates., RJ Heisenbottle Architects, and AECOM Technical Service, 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) 2015.09.17; 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 Ferguson Glasgow Schuster Soto, Inc., Gurri Matute, P.A., MC Harry Associates, RJ Heisenbottle Architects and , AECOM Technical Services, Inc. of continuing contracts pursuant to Florida Statute 287.055, known as the “Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act” and Request for Qualifications (RFQ) 2015.09.17.

Section 3. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWELFTH DAY OF JANUARY, 2016.

(Moved by _____, Seconded by _____)
(Passed 0/0 vote)

JAMES C. CASON
MAYOR

ATTEST:

WALTER FOEMAN
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

CRAIG E. LEEN
CITY ATTORNEY