## CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2021-235**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER TO AWARD THE CONTRACT FOR THE CITYWIDE RIGHT OF WAY IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT TO JVA ENGINEERING CONTRACTOR, INC (PRIMARY) AND GPE ENGINEERING & GENERAL CONTRACTOR CORP.(SECONDARY) THE LOWEST RESPONSIVE-RESPONSIBLE BIDDERS PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-763 OF THE PROCUREMENT CODE ENTITLED "CONTRACT AWARD".

**WHEREAS,** on April 13, 2021, the Procurement Division of Finance formally advertised, issued, and distributed IFB 2021-004 for Citywide Right of Way Improvements, for two separate groups Group A General Right of Way Improvements and Group B Drainage Improvements ("The IFB"); and

**WHEREAS**, a total of forty-four (44) prospective providers downloaded the IFB package from Public Purchase, the City's web-based e-Procurement service; and

**WHEREAS**, on May 19, 2021, eight (8) responses was received and evaluated by the Procurement Division and deemed responsive per the requirements of the IFB; and

**WHEREAS**, during the review of Group B it was determined that it would not be in the best interest of the City to move forward with this award of this group due to excessive pricing; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Works Department concurs with the Chief Procurement Officer's recommendation to award the Citywide Right of Way Improvements Group A-General Right of Way Improvements; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2-585 of the Procurement Code authorizes the City Manager to delegate authority to the Chief Procurement Officer to administer and make recommendations on City contracts;

## 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 and authorizes the City Manager award the Citywide Right of Way Improvements contract to Group A- General Right of Way Improvements to JVA Engineering Contractor Inc., (primary) and GPE Engineering & General Contractor Corp., (secondary) the lowest responsive- responsible bidders in the estimated annual amount of \$1,200,000.00 not to exceed the available budget for a period of three (3) years with two (2) one (1) year options to renew pursuant to Invitation for Bids (IFB) 2021-004.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D., 2021.

(Moved: Anderson / Seconded: Menendez)

(Yeas: Anderson, Fors, Jr., Mena, Menendez, Lago)

(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote) (Agenda Item: I-5)

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