

**CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-201**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER TO AWARD THE SECURITY GUARD SERVICES CONTRACT TO FPI SECURITY SERVICES, INC., THE HIGHEST RANKED RESPONSIVE-RESPONSIBLE PROPOSER, PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-763 OF THE PROCUREMENT CODE ENTITLED "CONTRACT AWARD".

**WHEREAS**, on June 8, 2020, the Procurement Division of Finance formally advertised, issued, and distributed Security Guard Services, Request for Proposals (RFP) 2020-019; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 7, 2020, eight (8) firms submitted proposals in response to the RFP: Allied Universal Security Services, American Guard Services, Inc., Dothan Security, Inc., FPI Security Services, Inc., G4S Secure Solutions, Inc., Kent Security Services, Inc., Security Alliance, LLC., and SFM Security Services, Inc.; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 20, 2020, the Evaluation Committee convened to evaluate the eight (8) responsive proposals and ranked the firms in the following order of preference: FPI Security Services, Inc. (top-ranked); SFM Security Services, Inc. (second ranked); Kent Security Services, Inc. (third ranked); Security Alliance, LLC. (fourth ranked); G4S Secure Solutions, Inc. (fifth ranked); Allied Universal Security Service (sixth ranked), Dothan Security, Inc. (seventh ranked); and American Guard Services, Inc. (eighth ranked); and

**WHEREAS**, the Evaluation Committee determined that FPI Security Services, Inc., was the highest ranked responsive-responsible proposer; and

**WHEREAS**, the Evaluation Committee further recommended that should negotiations fail with FPI Security Services, Inc., that negotiations may commence with the next ranked firm, up to the fifth ranked qualified proposer, until an agreement and contract amount acceptable to the City has been reached; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Procurement Officer recommends accepting the Evaluation Committee's recommendation to award and negotiate with FPI Security Services, Inc., for RFP 2020-019 Security Guard Services; 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.** The City Commission accepts the recommendation of the Chief Procurement Officer to award the Security Guard Services to FPI Security Services, Inc., the highest ranked responsive-responsible proposer, pursuant to Section 2-763 of the Procurement Code entitled “Contract Award”, further authorizing the City Manager to negotiate and execute a Professional Services Agreement for an initial period of three (3) years with options to renew for two (2) additional one (1) year periods, exercisable at the option of the City Manager; should negotiations fail with the top-ranked proposer, negotiations may commence with the second ranked proposer, if determined to be in the best interest of the City until an agreement and contract amount acceptable to the City has been reached.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS EIGHTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D., 2020.

(Moved: Lago / Seconded: Mena)

(Yeas: Mena, Fors, Jr., Keon, Lago, Valdes-Fauli)


(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote)

(Agenda Item: H-1)

APPROVED:

  
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MAYOR

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CITY CLERK

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