

RESOLUTION No. 2008-94-781

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE A PURCHASE ORDER IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$50,000.00 TO SUPERIOR LANDSCAPING AND LAWN SERVICE FOR THE PURCHASE AND PLANTING OF ROYAL PALM AND FOXTAIL PALM TREES; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, after Hurricane Wilma, City staff began removing and replacing palm trees throughout the city via a Contract that was awarded on April 12, 2006, and

WHEREAS, that Contract has expired and staff issued an RFP on January 3, 2008, seeking bids for the purchase and installation of Royal Palm and Foxtail Palm trees throughout various locations in the City, and

WHEREAS, Superior Landscaping and Lawn Service, located in Miami, Florida, was the apparent low bidder and is able to provide the services requested, and

WHEREAS, the City Manager is recommending that the City Council authorize the issuance of a purchase order to Superior Landscaping and Lawn Service in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00 for this purpose,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS: The foregoing Whereas paragraphs are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true, and the same are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

Section 2. AUTHORIZATION: The City Council of the City of Miami Gardens hereby authorizes the City Manager to issue a purchase order in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00 to Superior Landscaping and Lawn Service for planting of Royal

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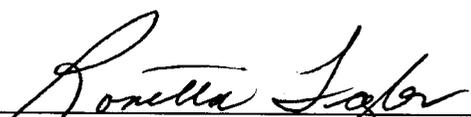
Palm and Foxtail Palm trees throughout various locations in the City of Miami Gardens in accordance with that bid issued January 3, 2008, and the response thereto.

Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE: This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its final passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS AT ITS REGULAR MEETING HELD ON MAY 14, 2008.


SHIRLEY GIBSON, MAYOR

ATTEST:


RONETTA TAYLOR, CMC, CITY CLERK

PREPARED BY: SONJA KNIGHTON DICKENS, ESQ.
City Attorney

SPONSORED BY: DANNY CREW, CITY MANAGER

MOVED BY: Vice Mayor Watson
SECONDED BY: Councilman Bratton

VOTE: 7-0

Mayor Shirley Gibson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	(No)
Vice Mayor Barbara Watson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	(No)
Councilman Melvin L. Bratton	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	(No)
Councilman Aaron Campbell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	(No)
Councilman Oliver Gilbert, III	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	(No)
Councilwoman Sharon Pritchett	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	(No)
Councilman André Williams	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	(Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	(No)

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City of Miami Gardens

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Date: 5/6/08

Fiscal Impact: No Yes

(If yes, explain in Staff Summary)

Funding Source: City of Opa-Locka

Contract/P.O. Requirement: Yes No

Sponsor Name/Department: City Manager Danny Crew

Public hearing

Ordinance

1st Reading

Advertising requirement:

Quasi-Judicial

Resolution

2nd Reading

Yes No

RFP/RFQ/Bid # _____

Title

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO TAKE ANY AND ALL STEPS NECESSARY TO APPLY FOR, AND RECEIVE A 2008 URBAN AND COMMUNITY FORESTRY GRANT FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES; AUTHORIZING A MATCH OF FUNDS OF UP TO \$20,000.00 FOR THIS PURPOSE; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Staff Summary

The loss of tree cover in our already low tree canopy has created a negative ecological and aesthetic impact in the City of Miami Gardens. To address this situation staff recommends applying for the 2008 Urban & Community Forestry Grant. In order to be awarded funds for the U&CF Grant, Council must support a resolution approving the City Manager to apply for the grant and to enter into a Maintenance Memorandum of Agreement between the city and the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. The grant requires a 50:50 match from the City in the event the grant funds are awarded. The grant will request for monies to plant trees in the city's right-of-way. We recommend that the City applies for up to \$20,000.