

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO ISSUE A PURCHASE ORDER WITH COMMERCIAL LAUNDRY EQUIPMENT COMPANY, INC. FOR THE PURCHASE OF UNIMAC COMMERCIAL GRADE WASHERS AND DRYERS FOR VARIOUS LOCATIONS WITHIN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$94,250.00.

WHEREAS, the Fire Department desires to purchase five commercial grade Unimac washer/extractors and five commercial grade Unimac dryers that will remove contaminants with products of combustions and carcinogens after firefighting activities from their personal protective gear, also known as bunker gear; and

WHEREAS, on October 18, 2017, the City Commission passed and adopted Resolution Number R-2017-308, authorizing the acceptance of the 2017 Department of Homeland Security Assistance to Firefighters Grant in the approximate amount of \$1,500,000.00 to purchase fire rescue operational and/or training equipment; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Resolution No. R-2017-308, the Fire Department will utilize part of these grant funds for the purchase of five commercial grade Unimac washer/extractors and five commercial grade Unimac dryers; and

WHEREAS, the commercial grade washers and dryers will assist the Fire Department in a faster turn-around time of their bunker gear being available with no delays and eliminate the dependency on an outside cleaning contractor; and

WHEREAS, on December 20, 2018, Notice of Availability of Bid F-4602-19-JE was posted on the City's Website, advertised and sent to 512 firms and viewed by 31 vendors on Bidsync.com in accordance with the City's Purchasing Ordinance, Section 38.42 (A)(1); and

WHEREAS, Bid Number F-4602-19-JE was opened at 3:00 P.M., January 31, 2019, and resulted in responses from two bidders:

- Commercial Laundry Equipment Company, Inc. \$94,250.00
West Palm Beach, Florida
- Begus Online \$19,500.00
Aventura, Florida

; and

WHEREAS, Begus Online did not bid both pieces of equipment and only provided pricing for the washer, which is not the commercial grade, brand specific washer listed in the bid specifications, and therefore, Begus Online did not meet all the specifications as listed in the bid documents; and

WHEREAS, Commercial Laundry Equipment Company, Inc. met all the bid specifications, and the Fire Department recommends this service be awarded accordingly; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Chief and the Director of Procurement and Contract Compliance recommend that the City Commission approve the issuance of a Purchase Order for five Unimac commercial grade washers and five Unimac dryers to Commercial Laundry Equipment Company, Inc. for a one-time purchase in an amount not to exceed \$94,250.00; and

WHEREAS, the City may terminate the agreement with or without cause upon a 30 day written notice; and

WHEREAS, award is subject to the City receiving all insurance required and approved by the City's Risk Manager, along with signed statements of Hold Harmless and Indemnity to the City; and

WHEREAS, funding for the agreement has been provided in the Fiscal Year 2019 Budget through the 2017 Department of Homeland Security Assistance to Firefighters Grant Account Number 334.219901.52200.564530.000104.000.000.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA:

Section 1: That the foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are incorporated in the Resolution.

Section 2: That it approves and authorizes the issuance, by the appropriate City officials, of a purchase order with Commercial Laundry Equipment Company, Inc., together with such non-material changes as may be subsequently agreed to by the City Manager and approved as to form and legal sufficiency by the City Attorney.

Section 3: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

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PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2019.

JOSH LEVY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

PATRICIA A. CERNY, MMC, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY for the use and reliance of the City of Hollywood, Florida, only.

DOUGLAS R. GONZALES, CITY ATTORNEY