

**CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA**  
**MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** August 30, 2022

**TO:** Jeff Odoms | Director of Public Works

**CC:** Note: All parties below will only receive the award information memorandum via email.  
Dr. Jeremy Earle, City Manager  
Noemy Sandoval, Assistant City Manager  
Sharon Ragoonan, Assistant City Manager  
Peter Kunen, Assistant Director/City Engineer  
Charles Casimir, Assistant Director of Operations  
James Hepburn, Special Projects Coordinator

**FROM:** Andrea Lues, Procurement Director *Andrea Lues*

**SUBJECT:** **AWARD INFORMATION MEMORANDUM RFP # FY 2021-2022-014 DISASTER  
DEBRIS MONITORING SERVICES**

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This project continues to be under a Cone of Silence. There is to be no communication with any of the firms until the date and time of the City Commission meeting when the award or rejection of the solicitation will be made.

If you have any questions on any of the items below, please make sure you contact the Procurement Director immediately for clarification.

Due to the size of the documents for this Project the following documents have been saved in the City Common Folder/Procurement/RFP Name:

- Two (2) Proposals received in response to this RFP
- Award Information Memorandum
- Summary Rating Sheet
- RFP Solicitation
- List of Proposing Firms
- Word version of the Agreement released with the RFP

**Responsive Firms (in order first highest ranked to lowest ranked)**

Eisman & Russo, Inc	Rank	Evaluation Points	Variances	Legal Proceedings	References
	1	300	None	Included	Included
	<b>MQR 1</b>	<b>MQR 2</b>			
	Met	Met			

DebrisTech, LLC	Rank	Evaluation Points	Variances	Legal Proceedings	References
	2	234.4	None	None	Included
	<b>MQR 1</b>	<b>MQR 2</b>			
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### **Timeline of RFP**

#### **Release Date of RFP – May 31, 2022:**

The release notice for the RFP was sent via email to over one thousand (1,000) vendors including from the City's Vendor list and pertinent vendors that have a City Business Tax License to operate in the City.

The RFP was also advertised on:

- Hallandale Beach Chamber of Commerce website,
- City's website,
- DEMANDSTAR.com,
- City Social Media pages,
- Miami Minority Business Development Agency Business Center,
- U.S. Small Business Administration,
- Broward County Community Relations and Outreach Section Office of Economic and Small Business Development.

#### **Non-Mandatory Pre-Proposal Conference – June 14, 2022:**

Three (3) firms attended the Pre-proposal Conference in person.

**Last Day for Questions for this project – June 28, 2022 by 11:00 AM**

**Responses Due – July 25, 2022 by 11:00 AM**

#### **Evaluation Committee Meeting – August 16, 2022:**

The Evaluation Committee, appointed by the City Manager, was composed of the following individuals:

- Peter Kunen, Asst. Director of PW/City Engineer
- James Hepburn, Special Projects Coordinator
- Mary-Francis Jeannot, Fiscal and Budgetary Manager

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### **Duties and Responsibilities**

The Project Manager is responsible for preparing the agenda cover memo for recommendation of award of contract to the City Commission.

To make the determination for award of contract to the highest ranked, responsive and responsible Firm, the Project Manager and Department Director must review the following:

- a) All the information provided for this Project through this award information memorandum.
- b) *Variance Form*. Address and discuss the responsive and responsible firm's variances with the City Attorney and Risk Manager before requesting recommendation for award through the City Commission if such firm proposed variances.

*Legal Proceedings Form*. Address and discuss the responsive and responsible firm's legal proceedings with the City Attorney before requesting recommendation for award through the City Commission if such firm provided legal proceedings. **Eisman & Russo, Inc** has provided Legal Proceedings. The Procurement Department submitted ISR # 566 for legal review to determine if the firm can be recommended for award based on litigation. City Attorney's response is as follows: "The disclosure provided is legally sufficient, and as a matter of legal review does not appear to affect the firm's fitness to perform the scope requested."

- c) *Reference Forms*. Review the references provided for the Firm that is recommended for award of contract prior to bringing a recommendation for award to the City Commission.
- d) Ensure the recommended responsive, responsible firm can:
  - i. Perform the services outlined in the RFP based on the Minimum Qualification Requirements (MQRs) of the document and/or addenda, as applicable.
  - ii. Can perform the scope of work as requested by the RFP.

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### **Rejection of Responses to the RFP**

If the RFP is to be rejected, an agenda item must be prepared for the rejection. This is in accordance with Procurement Code Section 23-12, (4) Rejection of Bids.

### **Agenda Process**

Please follow the City Clerk's Agenda process for the timeline and documents that are required. Please see the City Clerk's page, [here](#).

### **Attendance of recommended Firm(s) to the City Commission meeting**

The Procurement Department will invite the recommended Firm(s) to the City Commission meeting if requested by the Department Director and/or the Project Manager. You must email the Procurement Director if the Firm(s) are to be invited and advise of the date of the City Commission Meeting.

### **Agreement Negotiation and Execution**

The Project Manager and the Department Director may proceed with contract negotiations after the Resolution for recommendation of award of contract has been executed.

The Project Manager is to fill out the Agreement with the pertinent information and proceed with coordinating the execution of the agreement, from the awarded firm to the City Manager through the City Attorney's office.

Timely processing of the executed Agreement must be done by the Project Manager. The Agreement for this project has been provided to the Department Director/Project Manager in a word version. There are sections within the Agreement that the Project Manager must complete as required.

All insurance and bonding requirements, if any, must be in place prior to commencement of the project.