

3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28
29
30
31
32
33
34
35
36
37
38
39

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-104

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA, AWARDED RFP FY#2016-2017-010, STATE LOBBYIST SERVICES, TO THE HIGHEST RANKED PROPOSER, BALLARD PARTNERS, INC. FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED SIXTY THOUSAND (\$60,000) DOLLARS FOR A ONE YEAR TERM; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY ATTORNEY TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT FOR A ONE YEAR TERM WITH TWO (2) ONE YEAR TERM OPTIONAL RENEWALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 23-4 of the City of Hallandale Beach Code, all purchases of and contracts for equipment, supplies and contractual services, when the estimated cost shall exceed \$50,000.00 shall be based wherever possible on competitive bids; and

WHEREAS, in preparation for the 2018 State Legislative Session, City Administration released a Request for Proposal (RFP) #FY 2016-2017-010, State Lobbyist Services on July 5, 2017 to retain the services of a State Lobbyist Firm to assist with a variety of issues affecting the City and its residents at a State level; and

WHEREAS, the City Administration conducted a competitive solicitation and obtained proposals from four (4) vendors; and

WHEREAS, the Request for Proposals notice was sent to thirty-eight (38) vendors from the City's vendor list, and was advertised on City website, DemandStar website, and other sources; and

WHEREAS, the Evaluation Committee reviewed the firms' submissions and held oral presentations for top ranked firms on August 24, 2017. Ballard Partners, Inc. was the highest ranked firm; and

WHEREAS, the City Administration recommends that the City Commission award RFP FY #2016-2017-010, State Lobbyist Services, to the highest ranked firm Ballard Partners, Inc. for a one year term in an amount not to exceed sixty thousand (\$60,000.00) dollars with two optional one year extensions to be approved by the City Commission; and

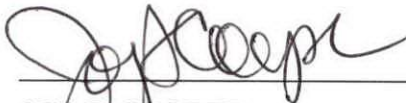
40 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF
41 THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA:

42
43 **SECTION 1. City Commission Action.** The Mayor and City Commission hereby award
44 RFP FY#2016-2017-010, State Lobbyist Services to the highest ranked proposer, Ballard
45 Partners, Inc.

46
47 **SECTION 2. City Manager and City Attorney Authorization.** The Mayor and City
48 Commission hereby authorize the City Manager to negotiate and execute an agreement with
49 Ballard Partners, Inc. for a one year term in an amount not to exceed sixty thousand (\$60,000)
50 dollars with two optional one year extensions to be approved by the City Commission. The City
51 Manager is further authorized to execute all related documents to effectuate this project.

52
53 **SECTION 3. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its
54 passage and adoption.

55
56 APPROVED AND ADOPTED on this 27th day of September, 2017.

57
58 
59 _____
60 JOY F. COOPER
61 MAYOR

62 SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

63
64 ATTEST:

65 
66 _____
67 MARIO BATAILLE, CMC
68 CITY CLERK

69
70
71
72 APPROVED AS TO LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
73 FORM

74 
75 _____
76 JENNIFER MERINO
77 CITY ATTORNEY
78