

**RESOLUTION No. 18-78**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE AWARD OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS #2018-07 "FOURTH OF JULY FIREWORKS DISPLAY" TO THE TOP RANKED PROVIDER; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH GARDEN STATE FIREWORKS, INC. FOR THE PROVISION OF THE CITY'S FOURTH OF JULY FIREWORKS DISPLAY FOR A PERIOD OF THREE (3) YEARS, WITH TWO (2) ONE (1) YEAR RENEWALS FOR A TOTAL OF FIVE (5) YEARS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$45,000.00 PER FISCAL YEAR; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, on March 9, 2018, Request for Proposals #2018-07, "Fourth of July Fireworks Display" (the "RFP") was advertised for the provision of providing the City's 4<sup>th</sup> of July Fireworks Display; and

**WHEREAS**, three (3) proposal submittals were received on April 2, 2018 with all three proposals meeting the required criteria set forth in the RFP; and

**WHEREAS**, an evaluation meeting was held on April 27, 2018 where all submitted proposals were scored and ranked. During this evaluation meeting it was determined that based on their qualifications and relevant experience, pricing for services offered, understanding and responsiveness to scope of services, and affiliation references based on a three hundred (300) point system; the firms ranked as follows:

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| 1. | Garden State Fireworks, Inc. | 272 Points |
| 2. | Zambelli Fireworks           | 229 Points |
| 3. | Light FX Pros, LLC.          | 217 Points |

**WHEREAS**, Staff recommends the approval to award Request for Proposals #2018-07 "Fourth of July Fireworks Display" to the top ranked provider and authorize the City Manager to negotiate and enter into an agreement with Garden State Fireworks, Inc.

for the provision of providing the City's 4<sup>th</sup> of July Fireworks Display for a period of three (3) years with two (2) one (1) year renewals for a total of five (5) years in an amount not to exceed \$45,000.00 per fiscal year.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1. Recitals.** The above recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by this reference.

**Section 2. Approval of Services.** The award of Request for Proposals #2018-07 to Garden State Fireworks, Inc. for the provision of providing the City's 4<sup>th</sup> of July Fireworks Display is hereby approved.

**Section 3. Authorization to Procure Services.** The City Manager is hereby authorized to negotiate and enter into an agreement with Garden State Fireworks, Inc. for the provision of providing the City's 4<sup>th</sup> of July Fireworks Display for a period of three (3) years with two (2) one (1) year renewals for a total of five (5) years. The agreement is subject to approval by the City Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency and on such other terms and conditions as may be appropriate to protect and further the interests of the City. This Authorization does not create or confer any rights to Garden State Fireworks, Inc. or any of the other ranked proposers.

**Section 4. Implementation.** The City Manager and the City Attorney are hereby authorized to take such action as may be necessary to implement the provisions of this Resolution.

**Section 5. Effective Date.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Rodriguez who moved its

adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Mariaca and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Ana Maria Rodriguez	Yes
Councilman Pete Cabrera	Absent/Excused
Councilwoman Christi Fraga	Yes
Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9 day of May, 2018.

  
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JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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CONNIE DIAZ, CMC  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY  
FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF DORAL ONLY:

  
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WEISS, SEROTA, HELFMAN, COLE & BIERMANN, P.L.  
CITY ATTORNEY