

**RESOLUTION No. 25-**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AWARDED INVITATION TO BID #2024-16 “DORAL TROLLEY INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS” TO ARANGO BILLBOARD & CONSTRUCTION CO., LLC. IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED OF NINE HUNDRED THIRTY THREE THOUSAND, EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY DOLLARS AND 80/100 (\$933,830.80) WHICH INCLUDES A 10% CONTINGENCY FOR ANY UNFORESEEN CONDITIONS, AND A 2% DEDICATED ALLOWANCE FOR ANTICIPATED PERMITTING COSTS; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT AND EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS ON BEHALF OF THE CITY IN FURTHERANCE HEREOF; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of the City of Doral’s (the “City”) trolley system is to help relieve traffic congestion, increase transit ridership, and offset parking shortages.; and

**WHEREAS**, the City’s Public Works Department (“PWD”) continues to monitor and improve the City’s Trolley System’s connectivity and accessibility throughout its network.; and

**WHEREAS**, for this reason, and in efforts to sustain a safe, pleasing, and reliable operation, the PWD periodically recommends the design for new bus shelters and/or improvements of existing bus shelters, considering ridership demand and infrastructure needs.; and

**WHEREAS**, in February of 2023 the City procured design plans for improvements on ten (10) existing trolley stop locations to install bus shelters; and

**WHEREAS**, City staff prepared ITB No. 2024-16 to identify a qualified and experienced contractor to provide all material, labor, equipment and services to accomplish the “Doral Trolley Infrastructure Improvements” work, which generally entails improvements to ten (10) existing trolley stop locations; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 25, 2024, the City of Doral issued ITB No. 2024-16 inviting all qualified and experienced firms to submit bids for the Doral Trolley Infrastructure Improvements; and

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Procurement and Asset Management held a publicly noticed non-mandatory pre-bid conference on October 2, 2024; and

**WHEREAS**, on October 30, 2024, the City received and opened three (3) timely proposals from the following respondents Arango Billboard & Construction Co., LLC., Pedrail Systems LLC, and Waypoint Contracting Inc.; and

**WHEREAS**, accordingly, the bid submitted by Arango Billboard & Construction Co., LLC. was found to be satisfactory and based on this review, the lowest responsive and responsible bid was received from Arango Billboard & Construction Co., LLC. at a total cost of Nine Hundred Thirty Three Thousand, Eight Hundred Thirty Dollars and 80/100 (\$933,830.80); and

**WHEREAS**, the PWD respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Councilmembers authorize the award of ITB No. 2024-16 – “Doral Trolley Infrastructure Improvements” to Arango Billboard & Construction Co., LLC. in an amount not to exceed Nine Hundred Thirty Three Thousand, Eight Hundred Thirty Dollars and 80/100 (\$933,830.80) which includes a 10% contingency for any unforeseen conditions and 2% dedicated allowance for anticipated permitting costs, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit “A”; and

**WHEREAS**, funding for the construction of Doral Trolley Infrastructure Improvements is available in the Transportation Fund – “Improvement Streets” Account, Account No. 101.80005.500633.

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

**Section 1. Recitals.** The above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein.

**Section 2. Approval.** The award of ITB 2024-16 to Arango Billboard & Construction Co., LLC, and the contract between the City and Arango Billboard & Construction Co., LLC. for Doral Trolley Infrastructure Improvements with an amount not to exceed Nine Hundred Thirty Three Thousand, Eight Hundred Thirty Dollars and 80/100 (\$933,830.80), which includes a 10% contingency for any unforeseen conditions and 2% dedicated allowance for anticipated permitting costs, is approved as to form and legality by the City Attorney, are hereby approved.

**Section 3. Authorization.** The City Manager is authorized to negotiate and execute a Contract Agreement and expend budgeted funds on behalf of the City in furtherance hereof. The City Manager is further authorized to negotiate and enter into an agreement with the next highest ranked firm successively, if an agreement cannot be entered into with Contractor, provided the next bidder accepts the contract amount approved above.

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

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

The foregoing Resolution was offered by \_\_\_\_\_ who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Christi Fraga	_____
Vice Mayor Maureen Porras	_____
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	_____
Councilman Rafael Pineyro	_____
Councilwoman Nicole Reinoso	_____

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12 day of February, 2025.

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CHRISTI FRAGA, MAYOR

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
CONNIE DIAZ, MMC  
CITY CLERK

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

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LORENZO COBIELLA  
GASTESI, LOPEZ, MESTRE & COBIELLA, PLLC  
CITY ATTORNEY