

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-178

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COCONUT CREEK, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER, OR DESIGNEE, TO EXECUTE THE ATTACHED AGREEMENTS BETWEEN THE CITY OF COCONUT CREEK AND U.S. ECOLOGY TAMPA, INC., AN AFFILIATE OF REPUBLIC SERVICES OF FLORIDA, LP, TO PROVIDE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SERVICES AND CLIFF BERRY, INC. TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL SERVICES PURSUANT TO RFP NO. 08-07-24-11; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Coconut Creek is the lead agency for the household hazardous waste collection and disposal cooperative contract on behalf of the Southeast Florida Governmental Purchasing Co-operative Group; and

WHEREAS, the existing agreement for these services with Clean Harbors Environmental Services, Inc. expired on October 23, 2024; and

WHEREAS, on June 16, 2024, the City issued fifty-three (53) electronic invitations through the eBid System for Request for Proposals (RFP) No. 08-07-24-11 to contract with qualified and experienced firms to provide household/emergency hazardous waste collection and disposal services; and

WHEREAS, City received four (4) responsive proposals from the following companies: 1) Clean Harbors Environmental Services; 2) Cliff Berry, Inc.; 3) MXI Environmental Service, LLC; and 4) U.S. Ecology Tampa, Inc., an affiliate of Republic Services of Florida, LP; and

WHEREAS, the proposals were evaluated based on the criteria in the RFP by a selection committee consisting of Mike Heimbach, Public Works Project Manager-Solid Waste, City of Coconut Creek; Melissa Doyle, Division Manager, Solid Waste and Recycling, Sustainability Department, City of Fort Lauderdale; Russell Ketchem, Director of Environmental Services, City of Pompano Beach; Steve Ramanand, Public Works

Solid Waste and Recycling Specialist, City of Coconut Creek; and Claudia Alzate, Environmental Program Manager, City of Coral Springs; and

WHEREAS, the selection committee short-listed the top three (3) firms: (1) Clean Harbors Environmental Services; (2) Cliff Berry, Inc.; and (3) U.S. Ecology Tampa, Inc., an affiliate of Republic Services of Florida, LP; and

WHEREAS, on September 16, 2024, presentations were provided by the three (3) short-listed firms followed by an evaluation and ranking meeting; and

WHEREAS, based on the presentations, the evaluation committee determined that awarding the household hazardous waste and disposal services contract to U.S. Ecology Tampa, Inc., an affiliate of Republic Services of Florida, LP, would be beneficial. Additionally, they recommended awarding the emergency hazardous waste and disposal services contract to Cliff Berry, Inc., given their expertise in emergency services. The committee then requested a 'Best and Final Offer' from the short-listed companies to potentially reduce specific costs and was able to obtain minor savings on several items; and

WHEREAS, based on past business relations, the results of the reference surveys, presentations provided, and the 'Best and Final Offer' results, the selection committee recommends that U.S. Ecology Tampa, Inc., an affiliate of Republic Services of Florida, LP, be awarded the contract to provide household hazardous waste collection and disposal services, and Cliff Berry, Inc. be awarded the contract to provide emergency hazardous waste collection and disposal services and other related services; and

WHEREAS, the initial contract period shall be for two (2) years with the option to extend the contract for two (2) additional two (2) year periods; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission deems it to be in the best interest of the residents of the City of Coconut Creek to contract with U.S. Ecology Tampa, Inc., an affiliate of Republic Services of Florida, LP, to provide household hazardous waste

collection and disposal services, and Cliff Berry, Inc. to provide emergency hazardous waste collection and disposal services.

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

Section 1: That the foregoing “WHEREAS” clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this resolution. All exhibits attached hereto are incorporated herein and made a specific part of this resolution.

Section 2: That the City Commission has reviewed and hereby approves the agreement between the City of Coconut Creek and U.S. Ecology of Tampa, Inc., an affiliate of Republic Services of Florida, LP, attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit “1,” to provide household hazardous waste collection and disposal services, and Cliff Berry, Inc., attached hereto and made part hereof as Exhibit “2,” to provide emergency hazardous waste collection and disposal services, pursuant to RFP No. 08-07-24-11.

Section 3: That the City Manager, or designee, is hereby authorized to execute the agreement between the City of Coconut Creek and U.S. Ecology of Tampa, Inc., an affiliate of Republic Services of Florida, LP, to provide household hazardous waste collection and disposal services and the agreement between the City of Coconut Creek and Cliff Berry, Inc. to provide emergency hazardous waste collection and disposal services pursuant to RFP No. 05-08-24-11.

Section 4: That if any clause, section, other part or application of this resolution is held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, in part or in application, it shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion or applications of this resolution.

Section 5: That this resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted this 14th day of November, 2024.

Sandra L. Welch, Mayor

Attest:

Joseph J. Kavanagh, City Clerk

Welch Aye
Railey Aye
Rydell Aye
Brodie Aye
Wasserman Aye