

1. Requested Motion:

Meeting Date: January 3, 2011

Motion to endorse Lee County staff's recommendation of Florida Dredge and Dock as the preferred proposer for the beach Re-Nourishment project.

Why the action is necessary:

In order to meet the requirements of the Re-nourishment Interlocal Agreement between the Town of Fort Myers Beach and the Lee BOCC.

What the action accomplishes:

Affirms the Town's acceptance of the preferred proposer and town's portion of the associated cost

2. Agenda:

3. Requirement/Purpose:

4. Submitter of Information:

Consent
 Administrative

Resolution
 Ordinance
 Other

Council
 Town Staff
 Town Attorney

5. Background:

- A. The Town and Lee BOCC entered into an Interlocal Agreement for the purpose of undertaking a beach re-nourishment project on the north end of the Town's beaches.
- B. The Interlocal provides that the Town has thirty days following receipt of County staff's recommendation of a preferred proposer to review that recommendation and inform the County whether it would endorse that recommendation.
- C. Public Works director Lewis has submitted a memo providing her review and support of County staff's recommendation. Please see her included memo.
- D. Environmental Services Coordinator Laakkonen reviewed the recommendation and contacted prior users of Florida Dredge and Dock, both listed references and others not listed. He found the company has a stellar reputation and no complaints from those contacted.

6. Alternative Action:

Reject County Staff's recommendation

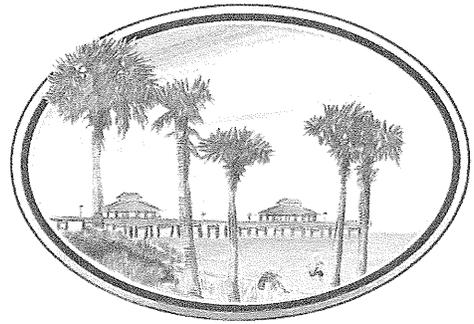
7. Recommended Approval:

Approve the recommended motion

Town Manager	Town Attorney	Finance Director	Public Works Director	Community Development Director	Cultural Resources Director	Town Clerk
						

9. Council Action:

Approved Denied Deferred Other



MEMO

DATE: December 22, 2010
TO: Terry Stewart, Town Manager
FROM: Cathie Lewis, Public Works Director
SUBJECT: Beach Restoration Bid Review

I reviewed the bid information received from Steve Boutelle, Lee County Natural Resources, via e-mail from you. From the information received, the bid and tabulation is straight forward and the apparent low bidder has been selected.

Worth noting is that the apparent low bidder kept the unit prices for the alternate line items, where some other bidders adjusted them. Also, looking at the line items many vary considerably from one bidder to another, with relative consistency at the total bid. Where a large inconsistency is noted is within the mobilization/demobilization costs. These costs range from approximately 3% - 41% of the contract bid price.

Of concern of course is the project schedule. As pointed out in the e-mail, the low bidder will likely need all time allocated for the project based on the size of the dredger that will be utilized. The time in which to complete the project is 120 -150 days which, dependent upon the Notice to Proceed date, takes the project at least into June. Should unforeseen conditions arise, it could pose a time problem and cause a time delay.

I have had no association with the apparent low bidder, but based on the e-mail I believe the County is doing their due diligence. During a brief conversation with Peter, he has been in contact with the County regarding these aspects of the bid and will be reporting that to you.

Please let me know if there are other aspects of this contract that you would like considered or if you have any questions associated with the above.

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Estero Island Beach Restoration Estimated Costs and Distribution

Construction	\$ 3,723,858.80
Construction Engineering Services	\$ 148,390.00
Turtle/Bird Monitoring	\$ 10,000.00
Vegetation	\$ 24,000.00
1st Year Post Construction Monitoring	\$ 45,000.00

TOTAL CONSTRUCTION	\$ 3,951,248.80
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Federal Cost Share	0%	\$	-
State Cost Share	50%	\$	1,975,624.40
Local Cost Share	50%	\$	1,975,624.40

WCIND	fixed amount	\$	750,000.00
Town	8.8%	\$	107,854.95
County	91.2%	\$	1,117,769.45