

STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF FULTON

**RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE AWARD OF CONTRACT IN CONNECTION WITH
THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL, RFP # 18-002,
LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the City of Sandy Springs ("City") currently has a contract with a vendor for landscape maintenance services ("Current Contract"), which will expire June 30, 2017; and

WHEREAS, in anticipation of the expiration of the Current Contract, the City issued its Request for Proposal, RFP # 18-002, Landscape Maintenance Services, dated December 14, 2016 ("RFP"); and

WHEREAS, the City received proposals from various vendors in response to the RFP ("Proposals"); and

WHEREAS, Proposals were evaluated by evaluation panels and by the Source Selection Evaluation Team ("SSET"), pursuant to the process described in the RFP and consistent with the criteria established therein, to determine the best overall value for the City and its residents; and

WHEREAS, as the result of its evaluation, the SSET has provided its Source Selection Evaluation Memorandum, in the form attached to this resolution, presenting the results of its evaluation for landscape maintenance services and recommending: (a) Yellowstone Landscape shall receive a contract award for one (1) year, beginning July 1, 2017, in the amount of \$440,790.00, with the option of annual renewals not to exceed five (5) years and a "not-to-exceed" two percent (2%) annual escalator; and (b) Yellowstone Landscape shall begin a phase-in period beginning no later than June 7, 2017, without additional cost to the City; and

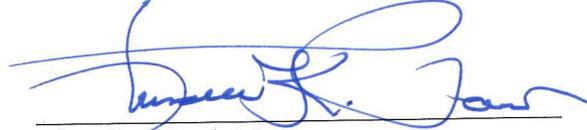
WHEREAS, the City desires to make such award based on the recommendations of the SSET consistent with the attached Source Selection Evaluation Memorandum.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Sandy Springs, Georgia, while in special session on May 23, 2017 at 4:00 p.m. as follows:

1. Yellowstone Landscape is hereby awarded a contract for Landscape Maintenance services pursuant to the terms of the RFP for one (1) year, beginning July 1, 2017, in the amount of \$440,790.00, with the option of annual renewals not to exceed five (5) years and a "not-to-exceed" two percent (2%) annual escalator, subject to termination for convenience of the City; and
2. Yellowstone Landscape shall begin a phase-in period beginning no later than June 7, 2017, without additional cost to the City; and
3. The City Manager and appropriate authorized City officials are hereby authorized to execute the contract for Landscape Maintenance Services and to take any and all actions necessary to effectuate the intent of this resolution.

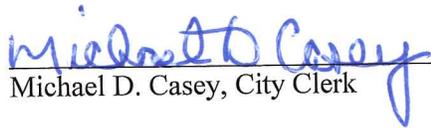
RESOLVED this the 23rd day of May, 2017.

Approved:



Russell K. Paul, Mayor

Attest:



Michael D. Casey, City Clerk

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