



Legislation Details (With Text)

**File #:** 24-1102      **Version:** 1      **Name:**  
**Type:** Contract - Renewal      **Status:** Passed  
**File created:** 2/16/2024      **In control:** Commissioners Court  
**On agenda:** 2/27/2024      **Final action:** 2/27/2024  
**Title:** Request for approval of a renewal option with Environmental Southwest for turf establishment, vegetation promotion, and mowing for the Flood Control District for the period of June 1, 2024 - May 31, 2025, at a cost of \$789,312, and for the County Clerk to execute any applicable bonds to be received (230064), MWDBE Contracted Goal: 10%, MWDBE Current Participation: 10%.

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:**

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. 24-1102 Renewal - Environmental Southwest Job No. 230064

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
2/27/2024	1	Commissioners Court		

**Department:** Purchasing

**Department Head/Elected Official:** DeWight Dopslauf

**Regular or Supplemental RCA:** Regular RCA

**Type of Request:** Contract - Renewal

**Project ID (if applicable):** 230064

**Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable):** Environmental Southwest

**MWDBE Contracted Goal (if applicable):** 10%

**MWDBE Current Participation (if applicable):** 10%

**Justification for 0% MWDBE Participation Goal:** N/A - Goal is not 0% and is listed above

**Request Summary (Agenda Caption):**

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**Background and Discussion:** Turf establishment contracts are utilized to support the construction efforts of Harris County Flood Control District. By providing seeding and other vegetation promotion cultural practices following construction, the District can produce a resilient perennial stand of grass, that helps reduce erosion, and fulfills permit requirements.

**Expected Impact:** Awarding this contract will allow the District to provide the services needed to support

construction and repair projects throughout Harris County. These services include seeding, fertilization, hydro mulch applications, soil amendment applications, and mowing of channels and basins.

**Alternative Options:**

N/A

**Alignment with Goal(s):**

- Justice and Safety
- Economic Opportunity
- Housing
- Public Health
- Transportation
- Flooding
- Environment
- Governance and Customer Service

**Prior Court Action (if any):**

Date	Agenda Item #	Action Taken
02/21/2023	470	Advertisement approved for 02/17, 02/24 & 3/3
04/25/2023	226	Award approved for term 06/01/2023 - 05/31/2024

**Location: N/A**

Address (if applicable): N/A

Precinct(s): Countywide

<b>Fiscal and Personnel Summary</b>				
Service Name	Turf Establishment, Vegetation Promotion, and Mowing for the Harris County Flood Control District			
	Current Fiscal Year Cost			Annual Fiscal Cost
	Labor	Non-Labor	Total	Recurring Expenses
<b>Funding Sources</b>				
<b>Existing Budget</b>				
Tax Revenue - FCD	\$789,312.00	\$	\$789,312.00	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Total Current Budget	\$789,312.00	\$	\$789,312.00	\$
<b>Additional Budget Request (Requires Fiscal Review Request Form)</b>				
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$
Choose an item.	\$	\$	\$	\$

Total Additional Budget Request	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Total Funding Request</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Personnel</b> (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service	-	-	-	-
Additional Positions Request	-	-	-	-
<b>Total Personnel</b>	-	-	-	-

**Anticipated Court Date: 02/27/2024**

**Anticipated Implementation Date (if different from Court date): 06/01/2024**

**Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note:** Not an emergency, disaster, or COVID-19 related item

**Contact(s) name, title, department:** John Watson, Manager, FMT; Kory Nickell, Turf Establishment Coordinator, FMT; Lyndsey Bars, Senior Buyer, Purchasing

**Attachments:** Letter