



CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR TO:

- 1) ENTER INTO A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT WITH EWING IRRIGATION PRODUCTS INC., DOING BUSINESS AS EWING IRRIGATION & LANDSCAPE SUPPLY, THE LOWEST RESPONSIVE AND RESPONSIBLE BIDDER FOR IRRIGATION AND LANDSCAPE SUPPLIES IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED ONE HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$130,000) PER YEAR FOR TWO (2) YEARS; AND**
- 2) EXECUTE UP TO THREE (3) ONE-YEAR OPTIONS TO RENEW THE CONTRACT IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED ONE HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$130,000) PER YEAR WITHOUT RETURNING TO COUNCIL, FOR A TOTAL CONTRACT AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED SIX HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$650,000) In Accordance With Request For Quotation (RFQ) Specification No. 20.020.00/RFQ 343502**

WHEREAS, the Oakland Public Works Department (OPW), Bureau of Environment (BOE), Park & Tree Division maintains the irrigation systems in City parks, rights of way, and other City facilities; and

WHEREAS, the 2018 Equity Indicators Report specifies that, “park quality affects how much parks are used and how beneficial they are to the surrounding community,” and irrigation and landscape supplies are necessary for maintaining and improving irrigation systems and landscape health for parks in communities most impacted by racial disparities; and

WHEREAS, the City conducted a request for quotations (RFQ 343502, for Specification No. 20.020.00) to select the lowest responsive and responsible bidder for irrigation and related landscape supplies; and

WHEREAS, the City received two bids through the City’s RFQ process, with Ewing Irrigation Products Inc., doing business as Ewing Irrigation & Landscape Supply the lowest responsive and responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends that the City Council adopt a resolution awarding a contract to Ewing Irrigation Products Inc., doing business as Ewing Irrigation & Landscape Supply, the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, for irrigation and related landscape supplies in an amount not-to-exceed \$130,000 per year for a two-year term, January 15, 2021 to January 14, 2023; with three (3) one-year options to extend the contract in an amount not-to-exceed \$130,000 per year, for a total not-to-exceed contract amount of

\$650,000 over a five-year term, in accord with Specification No. 20.020.00/RFQ 343502; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the City lacks the equipment and qualified personnel to perform the necessary work and that the performance of this contract is in the public interest because of economy or better performance; and

WHEREAS, the City Administrator has determined that the service to be provided is professional, scientific, or technical; and

WHEREAS, the City Administrator has determined that the performance of this contract shall not result in the loss of employment or salary by any person having permanent status in the competitive services; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funds are available in Oakland Public Works' budget appropriation and will be drawn from the Lighting & Landscape Assessment District Fund (2310), Administrative Projects (1000010), Maintenance Supplies (52311), Program (NB07); now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the City Council hereby awards a contract to Ewing Irrigation Products Inc., doing business as Ewing Irrigation & Landscape Supply, the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, for irrigation and landscape supplies in an amount not-to-exceed \$130,000 per year for a two-year term, January 15, 2021 to January 14, 2023, in accord with Specification No. 20.020.00/RFQ 343502; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Administrator or designee is hereby authorized to exercise in her/his sole discretion, three (3) one-year options to extend the contract in an amount not-to-exceed \$130,000 per year, for a total not-to-exceed contract amount of \$650,000 over a five-year term, without returning to Council; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the contract and amendments authorized hereunder shall be reviewed and approved by the City Attorney for form and legality and shall be placed on file in the office of the City Clerk.

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IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA,

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES - FIFE, GALLO, KALB, KAPLAN, REID, TAYLOR, THAO AND
PRESIDENT FORTUNATO BAS

NOES –

ABSENT –

ABSTENTION –

ATTEST: _____
ASHA REED
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of
the City of Oakland, California