



### City of Largo Agenda Item 7

Meeting Date  
12/18/18

Presenter:

Department:

**TITLE:**

**AUTHORIZATION TO AWARD BID NO. 19-B-661, MEDIAN LANDSCAPING, TO BUCCANEER LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$258,966.75**

In June 2017, the City Commission authorized the City Manager to enter into a Highway Landscape Reimbursement and Maintenance agreement with the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) for the beautification of US Highway 19 rights-of-way between 139<sup>th</sup> Avenue North and 150<sup>th</sup> Avenue North and SR 688 (Ulmerton Road) from Lake Avenue to US Highway 19.

The FY 2019 budget includes \$445,000 for the median beautification project along Ulmerton Road, and a portion of US Hwy 19. The construction cost of this project is \$258,966.75. The cost of the project, including design, is reimbursed 100% through the FDOT Highway Landscape Reimbursement and Maintenance agreement. The City is responsible for the maintenance of the medians. The estimated annual maintenance is \$65,000. Currently all the City's medians are maintained contractually. This amount is included in the FY 2019 budget.

Over the past 18 months, staff worked with FDOT and the landscape architect on the design. An Invitation for Bid was issued, and two vendors responded. Staff recommends awarding the Bid for median landscaping along Ulmerton Road to Buccaneer Landscape Management. This vendor has performed satisfactory landscape installation projects for the City.

<b>Budgeted Amount:</b> <input type="text" value="\$445,000.00"/>	<b>Budget Page No(s):</b> <input type="text" value="334"/>	<b>Available Amount:</b> <input type="text" value="\$428,500.00"/>	<b>Expenditure Amount:</b> <input type="text" value="\$258,966.75"/>
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**Additional Budgetary Information:**

<b>Funding Source(s):</b> <input type="text" value="General Fund"/>	<b>Sufficient Funds Available:</b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<b>Budget Amendment Required:</b> <input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	<b>Source:</b> <input type="text" value="N/A"/>
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<b>City Attorney Reviewed:</b> <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input checked="" type="radio"/> N/A	<b>Advisory Board Recommendation:</b> <input type="radio"/> For <input type="radio"/> Against <input checked="" type="radio"/> N/A	<b>Consistent With:</b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> N/A	<input type="text" value="Strategic Plan"/>
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**Potential Motion/Direction Requested:**

**Staff Contact:**

**Attachments:**

<b>BID TABULATION SHEET –BID #19-B-661</b> <b>MEDIAN LANDSCAPING</b> <b>Opens: DEC. 3, 2018 3:00 P.M.</b>	<b>B</b> <b>I</b> <b>N</b> <b>A</b> <b>M</b> <b>E</b>	Morelli Landscaping	Buccaneer Landscape Management			
<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	

<b>ITEM 1. TRAILING LAVENDAR LANTANA - TOTAL</b>		<b>6583.50</b>	<b>5852.00</b>			
<b>UNIT COST</b>		<b>4.50</b>	<b>4.00</b>			
<b>ITEM 3. RAIN LILY</b>		<b>7687.50</b>	<b>5637.50</b>			
<b>UNIT COST</b>		<b>7.50</b>	<b>5.50</b>			
<b>ITEM 4. COONTIE</b>		<b>32637.00</b>	<b>31648.00</b>			
<b>UNIT COST</b>		<b>16.50</b>	<b>16.00</b>			
<b>ITEM 5. MEDJOOOL DATE PALM</b>		<b>40500.00</b>	<b>40500.00</b>			
<b>UNIT COST</b>		<b>4500.00</b>	<b>4500.00</b>			
<b>ITEM 7. ICE PINK DWARF OLEANDER</b>		<b>12474.00</b>	<b>11340.00</b>			
<b>UNIT COST</b>		<b>38.50</b>	<b>35.00</b>			
<b>ITEM 8. CARDBOARD PALM</b>		<b>33871.50</b>	<b>23160.00</b>			
<b>UNIT COST</b>		<b>58.50</b>	<b>40.00</b>			
<b>ITEM 10. SOUTHERN RED ROCK</b>		<b>83092.50</b>	<b>74783.25</b>			
<b>UNIT COST</b>		<b>1.50</b>	<b>1.35</b>			
<b>ITEM 12. SOIL PREPARATION (Roto-till)</b>		<b>30467.25</b>	<b>22158.00</b>			
<b>UNIT COST</b>		<b>.55</b>	<b>.40</b>			
<b>ITEM 14. MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC - LUMP SUM</b>		<b>2500.00</b>	<b>2500.00</b>			
<b>ITEM 15. WATERING ESTABLISHMENT – LUMP SUM</b>		<b>18500.00</b>	<b>22000.00</b>			
<b>ITEM 16. EXISTING TURF REMOVAL – LUMP SUM</b>		<b>23901.75</b>	<b>19388.00</b>			
<b>TOTAL BID</b>		<b>292,215.00</b>	<b>258,966.75</b>			