

A RESOLUTION

23-438

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

July 7, 2020

To declare the existence of an emergency with respect to the need to approve Contract No. DCAM-20-NC-RFP-0001D between the Department of General Services and RBK Construction, Inc., increasing the aggregate not-to-exceed amount to \$2,667,017, and to authorize payment to RBK Construction Inc., for goods and services received and to be received under the contract.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the “Contract No. DCAM-20-NC-RFP-0001D with RBK Construction, Inc. Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Declaration Resolution of 2020”.

Sec. 2 (a) There exists an immediate need to approve Contract No. DCAM No. DCAM-20-NC-RFP-0001D for comprehensive city-wide landscaping maintenance and supplemental landscaping services (“Contract”) between the Department of General Services and RBK Construction, Inc. (“Contractor”), which would increase the aggregate not-to-exceed (“NTE”) amount of the Contract to \$2,667,017 and authorize payment to the Contractor for goods and services received and to be received under the Contract.

(b) On May 29, 2020, the Department issued a letter contract with a not-to-exceed amount of \$922,339. The proposed Contract, in the aggregate NTE amount of \$2,667,017, will definitize and include the previously issued letter contract and authorize services for the base period through May 31, 2021.

(c) The proposed Contract and incorporated letter contract would increase the aggregate NTE amount by \$1,744,678, from \$922,339 to \$2,667,017, an amount in excess of \$1 million; thus, Council approval of the proposed Contract is required pursuant to section 451 of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 803; D.C. Official Code § 1-204.51).

(d) Council approval of the proposed Contract is necessary to authorize the continuation of comprehensive city-wide landscaping maintenance and supplemental landscaping services and compensate the Contractor for services provided and to be provided under the Contract.

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Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia determines that the circumstances enumerated in section 2 constitute emergency circumstances making it necessary that the Contract No. DCAM-20-NC-RFP-0001D with RBK Construction, Inc. Approval and Payment Authorization Emergency Act of 2020 be adopted after a single reading.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.