RESOLUTION NO. R2015-64

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AGREEMENTS WITH ASHBRITT, INC., AS THE PRIMARY VENDOR, AND BERGERON EMERGENCY SERVICES, INC., AS THE SECONDARY VENDOR, TO PROVIDE DISASTER DEBRIS REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL SERVICES PURSUANT TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS NO. 2015-08.

WHEREAS, the City issued Request for Proposals (RFP) No. 2015-08 for the purpose of selecting qualified debris management firms to provide disaster debris removal and disposal services in the City, as needed, in accordance with the most current Federal, state and local government standards/guidelines; and

WHEREAS, bid notices were electronically mailed to more than 1,400 potential local and national vendors, as well as advertised in the <u>Miami Daily Business Review</u>, and posted on DemandStar by Onvia, the City's website, and in the lobby of City Hall. Additionally, all registered City of North Miami Beach vendors under the commodity(s) matching this solicitation's scope were notified via email; and

WHEREAS, the City took receipt of eight responsive proposals by the published deadline: Ashbritt, Inc.; Arbor Tree and Land Disaster Recovery; Bergeron Emergency Services, Inc.; Ceres Environmental Services, Inc.; Crowder Gulf Joint Venture, Inc; DRC Emergency Services, LLC; Grubbs Emergency Services, LLC; and Tag Grinding Services, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, a Review Committee convened to evaluate the proposals based on the criteria stated in the RFP document, and after an initial ranking of the eight firms, chose to proceed with presentations and question and answer (Q&A) sessions with the four highest ranked firms; and

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WHEREAS, the Review Committee based their final ranking of the proposals, presentations and Q&A sessions with the firms, revealing a final ranking of the four shortlisted firms as follows: Ashbritt, Inc., Crowder Gulf Joint Venture, Inc., DRC Emergency Services, LLC, and Bergeron Emergency Services, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Review Committee decided it was in the best interest of the City to award a Primary and Secondary agreement for these services; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of North Miami Beach authorizes the City Manager or designee to award a primary agreement to Ashbritt, Inc., and a secondary agreement to Bergeron Emergency Services, Inc., for disaster debris removal and disposal services, both for an initial term of five years with the ability to renew two times for one-year terms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of North Miami Beach, Florida.

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct.

Section 2. The Mayor and Council of the City of North Miami Beach hereby approve and authorize the City Manager to do all things necessary to award and execute a primary agreement for disaster debris removal and disposal services, in a form acceptable to the City Attorney, to Ashbritt, Inc., as the first-ranked firm, and a secondary agreement for said services to Bergeron Emergency Services, Inc., as the second-ranked firm, in substantially the attached form (Exhibit "A"). APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City of North Miami Beach City Council at the

Regular meeting assembled this _____ day of July, 2015.

ATTEST:

PAMELA L. LATIMORE CITY CLERK

(CITY SEAL)

GEORGE VALLEJO MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

JOSE SMITH CITY ATTORNEY

Sponsored by: Mayor and Council

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