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Item Title: Approve a one-year renewal of the contract with Wear Gloves, Inc. for annual litter control and drain and inlet surface cleaning services in the amount of \$433,472

Internal Notes:

Target Meeting: 08/05/2025

Sponsors:

Enactment Date:

Attachments: FOR COUNCIL- Third Amendment-Litter Control Services Agreement (PWD 220178), Fully Executed - Second_Amendment_to_Agreement_for_Litter_Control , Fully Executed - Amendment 1 - Agreement for Litter Control Services - Wear Gloves, Inc (PWD 220178), Council Report 6-20-23 - Wear Gloves, Inc (PWD 220178), Council Report 2-15-22 - Wear Gloves, Inc (PWD 220178), Fully Executed - Original Agreement for Litter Control Services (PWD 220178), Council Report 6-7-22 - Wear Gloves, Inc (PWD 220178), Fully Executed - 2019 Agreement - CMO-190357 - Wear Gloves

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Recommendation:

Hearing Date:

Entered by: tstewart@ocalafl.gov

Effective Date:

History of Legislative File

Version:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	City Council	08/05/2025	Approved				Pass
	Action Text:						
	Notes:						
	Mayor Marciano commented the contract with Wear Gloves is a great program. Director of Public Works Darren Park confirmed the City's need for services from Wear Gloves, Inc., has expanded with Mayor Marciano. He explained how funding impacts the ability of the program to expand services.						
	Mayor Marciano and Council Member Hilty spoke in support of the vendors' community support efforts.						
	There being no further discussion the motion carried by roll call vote.						

Item Details Continued (2025-1625)

Aye: 4 Pro Tem Bethea Sr, Council Member Hilty Sr, Council Member Musleh,
and Council President Dreyer
Excused: 1 Council Member Mansfield

Text of Legislative File 2025-1625

Submitted By: Tiffany Stewart

Presentation By: Darren Park

Department: Public Works

STAFF RECOMMENDATION (Motion Ready):

Approve a one-year renewal of the contract with Wear Gloves, Inc. for annual litter control and drain and inlet surface cleaning services in the amount of \$433,472

OCALA'S RELEVANT STRATEGIC GOALS:

Operational Excellence, Quality of Place

PROOF OF PUBLICATION:

N/A

BACKGROUND:

The Public Works Department has ongoing staffing needs for litter control. Wear Gloves, Inc. (Wear Gloves), a community non-profit organization, has provided litter control, landscape maintenance, and miscellaneous other services for the City since September 6, 2019.

In 2022, Public Works sought a procurement exemption which would allow the City to continue to use Wear Gloves for the provision of litter control services without issuing a competitive solicitation on the grounds that Wear Gloves has provided efficient, cost-effective specialty services to the City over the past three years. The City Contracting Officer granted the exemption after considering the limited number of entities providing litter control services and that the City has benefited from the provision of such services. On June 7, 2022, City Council awarded a three-year contract (Contract No. PWD/220178) to Wear Gloves for the provision of litter control, landscape maintenance, and miscellaneous services for a three-year term from August 1, 2022, through July 31, 2025. The contract contained the option for two additional one-year renewal periods.

On February 15, 2022, City Council approved additional expenditures under the contract to cover additional crew members to meet the growing demands for litter control.

On June 20, 2023, City Council approved the First Amendment to PWD/220178, to expand the scope of services to include stormwater drain and inlet surface cleaning services and increase the hourly rate of compensation from \$11 to \$16 through the end of the initial term.

On February 11, 2025, Assistant City Manager Ken Whitehead approved the Second Amendment to PWD/220178 which further amended the scope of services to include additional services, expansion of service locations and increased expenditures for same.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS:

Staff now recommends approval of the Third Amendment to PWD/220178 to renew for the first of two one-year renewal terms through July 31, 2026. Wear Gloves has performed exceptionally well, providing litter control and cleaning services for drains and inlet surfaces.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Funding for this contract has been budgeted for Fiscal Year 2024-25 in account 453-023-326-534-53-34010 in the amount of \$55,152 and account 158-023-430-538-53-34010 in the amount of \$19,872; and has been budgeted for Fiscal Year 2025-26 in account 453-023-326-534-53-34010 in the amount of \$263,504 and in account 158-023-430-538-53-34010 in the amount of \$94,944.

PROCUREMENT REVIEW:

These services were procured in compliance with the City's Procurement Policy.

LEGAL REVIEW:

This Amendment will be reviewed and approved for form and legality by City Attorney, William E. Sexton.

ALTERNATIVE:

- Approve with Changes
- Table
- Deny

