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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

TO: City Commission
FROM: Ronald Ramsingh, City Attorney
CC: Al Childress, City Manager
Todd Stoughton, Assistant City Manager
Christina Bervaldi, Finance Director
DATE: September 14, 2023
RE: Renew Gray Robinson, PA Lobbyist Agreement
SPONSOR: Commissioner Lopez

ACTION STATEMENT:

This Resolution will approve exercising the option to renew the attached Engagement Letter for Advisory Services with Gray Robinson, P.A., state level lobbying firm, for an additional 1-year term to September 30, 2024

BACKGROUND:

Resolution 19-321 selected Gray Robinson, P.A. and approved the negotiation and execution of a three-year Agreement, which included the options of up to two one-year renewals with the Firm to provide state government relations services. Resolution 22-204 approved a one-year renewal of the Engagement Letter through September 30, 2023.

PURPOSE AND JUSTIFICATION:

The current renewal is effective until September 30, 2023. Gray Robinson wishes to exercise the second of up to two one-year renewal options. Commissioner Lopez has brought this measure forward to exercise the option.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Expenses are budgeted for 2023-2024.