

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE PROCUREMENT OF FOUR ALUMINUM ACCESS GANGWAYS AND RAILINGS, FROM DOWLING HOLDINGS OF FLORIDA IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$153,467.00 IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY, PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-797(4)(b) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES; AUTHORIZING ANY NECESSARY BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE NECESSARY DOCUMENTS UPON CONSENT OF THE CITY ATTORNEY; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, new aluminum access gangways and railings are essential for safe access to certain points of the aeration basin at the Richard A. Heyman Environmental Protection Facility; and

WHEREAS, a formal bid process for a larger project that included the gangways did not yield any proposals within the City's budgeted funds and was rejected in the best interests of the City. The project was divided into projects of smaller scope, and three price quotes were obtained for the fabrication of gangways and railings. Dowling Holdings provided the lowest price quote, and has provided high quality fabrication work for the City on other projects; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to City Code Section 2-797(4)(b), the City Manager finds that exceptional circumstances exist to exempt a purchase from the competitive bid requirements in the best interests of the City; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF KEY WEST, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the procurement of four aluminum gangways and railings from Dowling Holdings of Florida, in an amount not to exceed \$153,467.00, in the best interests of the City, pursuant to Sections 2-797(4)(b) of the code of ordinances, is hereby approved.

Section 2: Funds for this purchase will be from account 401-3504-535-6500. A transfer of funds from reserve account 401-3501-535-9803 to account 401-3504-535-6500 in the amount of \$113,000.00 is hereby authorized.

Section 3: That the City Manager is authorized to execute any necessary documents, upon consent of the City Attorney.

Section 4: That this Resolution shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and adoption and authentication by the signature of the Presiding Officer and the Clerk of the Commission.

Passed and adopted by the City Commission at a meeting held this _____ day of _____, 2022.

Authenticated by the Presiding Officer and Clerk of the Commission on _____ day of _____, 2022.

Filed with the Clerk on _____, 2022.

Mayor Teri Johnston	_____
Vice Mayor Sam Kaufman	_____
Commissioner Gregory Davila	_____
Commissioner Mary Lou Hoover	_____
Commissioner Clayton Lopez	_____
Commissioner Billy Wardlow	_____
Commissioner Jimmy Weekley	_____

TERI JOHNSTON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CHERYL SMITH, CITY CLERK