

Alachua County, FL

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Agenda Item Summary

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Agenda Item Name:

Contract and Award of ITB (Invitation to Bid) 23-09 Annual Hydroseed with Native Wildflower Mix and Seed, to Hydrograss Technologies, Inc., not to exceed (NTE) \$75,000.00, for Public Works.

Presenter:

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Description:

Solicitation Award of ITB 23-09 Annual Hydroseed with Native Wildflower Mix and Seed.

Recommended Action:

Approve the Solicitation Award, Agreement, and issuance of Purchase Order for ITB 23-09 Annual Hydroseed with Native Wildflower Mix and Seed, to Hydrograss Technologies, Inc., not to exceed \$75,000.00, for seeding in Alachua County, for Public Works.

Prior Board Motions:

N/A

Fiscal Consideration:

This is project specific so any projects this bid is used on should include hydroseeding as part of the budget.

Strategic Guide:

Infrastructure

Background:

Hydroseeding of slopes, road right-of-ways, and large grassy areas around county complexes, parks, and schools is more economical than the standard methods of grassing or seeding. Hydroseeding has an added benefit to road rights-of-ways as it also stabilizes slopes and other "hard to access" areas. Hydroseeding soils hold moisture better, which allows for the seeds to germinate faster. Hydroseeded lawns that are correctly watered can start to grow in less than 7 days, and under normal conditions, can be established and ready to mow in 3-4 weeks.

ITB 23-09 Annual Hydroseed with Native Wildflower Mix and Seed advertised on July 13, 2022. The deadline for receipt of ITB 23-09 Annual Hydroseed with Native Wildflower Mix and Seed was August 24, 2022; one (1) vendor responded.