

AGENDA ITEM C2

DATE: February 3, 2020
TO: Matt Jordan, General Manager
FROM: Charles H. Carden, Chief Operating Officer *CHC*
SUBJECT: Paving Services Agreement No. 2020-702 with Ajax Paving Industries of Florida, LLC
– *Approve*

SUMMARY

Tampa Bay Water wellfields and other properties throughout Hillsborough, Pasco and Pinellas Counties have asphalt roadways that need periodic maintenance and repaving. Awarding this contract will allow for continuing maintenance and repair of these roadways.

RECOMMENDATION

Approve Agreement No. 2020-702 with Ajax Paving Industries of Florida, LLC in the amount of \$440,000.00 over two years.

COST/FUNDING SOURCE

Uniform Rate. Fiscal Year 2020 and 2021 budgeted funds.

DISCUSSION

The Board of Directors adopted Tampa Bay Water's Purchasing Procedures Manual on April 21, 2014 which allows the purchase of commodities and contractual services from the purchasing agreements of other special districts, municipalities, or counties ("piggyback").

Agency staff has evaluated a contract entered into by the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County and Ajax Paving Industries of Florida, LLC, for Paving Services and found that it accurately meets the requirements of Tampa Bay Water and pricing is fair and reasonable. The contract was awarded on March 12, 2019 and will expire on September 30, 2020. The contract includes an additional one-year renewal.

In order to evaluate the qualifications of Ajax Paving Industries of Florida, LLC, agency staff confirmed corporation status on Sunbiz, reviewed the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County contract and procurement process and met with Ajax Paving Industries of Florida, LLC to evaluate capabilities.

The proposed agreement has been approved as to form by Tampa Bay Water General Counsel's Office.



BACKGROUND

Tampa Bay Water has multiple wellfields, water plants, distributed wells, and other properties located throughout the Tampa Bay region. Asphalt paved roads at these locations need periodic repair and overlayment. This contract provides a mechanism to procure those services.