



Broward County

Legislation Text

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Broward County Commission Regular Meeting

Director's Name: Monica Cepero

Department: County Administration

Division: Intergovernmental Affairs/Board Section

Information

Requested Action

MOTION TO AUTHORIZE County Administrator or authorized designee to approve and execute amendments extending ten state legislative and executive lobbying services agreements until September 30, 2023, with two one-year extensions, in amounts not to exceed the monthly rates listed in Exhibit 1, subject to review for legal sufficiency by the County Attorney's Office; and to take any necessary administrative or budgetary action to implement the amendments.

Why Action is Necessary

Authorizes the County Administrator or designee to approve and execute amendments extending ten agreements for state legislative and executive lobbying services.

What Action Accomplishes

Authorizes the County Administrator or designee to approve and execute amendments extending ten agreements for state legislative and executive lobbying services.

Is this Action Goal Related

No

Previous Action Taken

None

Summary Explanation/Background

THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS/BOARDS SECTION RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF THIS ITEM.

On December 14, 2021, the Board entered into legislative and executive lobbying agreements with Ericks Consultants; Ronald L. Book; Anfield Consulting Group; Ballard Partners; Pittman Law Group; Southern Strategy Group; Tripp Scott; PinPoint Results; Floridian Partners; and Capital City Consulting for state lobbying services. This item will extend ten existing agreements until September 30, 2023, with two one-year extensions. There are no further extensions available under these agreements.

If this item is approved, the County Administrator will be authorized to enter into amendments to each of these agreements, extending their term through September 30, 2023, and providing for two additional one-year extensions, at the monthly rates identified in Exhibit 1.

Source of Additional Information

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Fiscal Impact

Fiscal Impact/Cost Summary

The lobbying fees for the firms listed above are included in the Fiscal Year 2023 Recommended Budget, totaling \$573,000 annually.

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