RESOLUTION NO. <u>2022 – 4006</u>

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF A PURCHASE ORDER TO DISTREEBUTORS, INC. FOR PLANTING OF NATIVE AND/OR FLORIDA-FRIENDLY TREES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$55,490; PROVIDING FOR A WAIVER OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Miami Springs (the "City") has been named as a "Tree City" and been awarded the "Tree City Growth Award" by the National Arbor Day Foundation on multiple occasions; and

WHEREAS, the City prides itself on, and desires to continue its efforts to enhance, its luscious tree canopy; and

WHEREAS, on February 28, 2022, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 2022-3977 accepting a NEAT Streets Miami Growing Roots for Environmental Equitable Neighborhoods (GREEN) Miami-Dade County ("County") Matching Grant (the "Grant") for the purpose of planting native and/or Florida-friendly trees in the City (the "Trees"); and

WHEREAS, the City desires to utilize and match the Grant funding to purchase the Trees in order to continue enhancing the City's luscious tree canopy; and

WHEREAS, although County Contract No. 1298-1 (the "County Contract") is set to expire May 31, 2022, Distreebutors, Inc. (the "Vendor") has agreed to extend the pricing of the County Contract for the Trees to the City in the quote attached hereto as Exhibit "A" (the "Quote"); and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends that the City Council waive the competitive procurement requirements of the City Code pursuant to Section 31-11(E)(6)(g) of the City Code for the Trees as it is in the best interest of the City; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the recommendation of the City Manager, the City Council desires to approve the issuance of a purchase order to the Vendor for the Trees in an amount not to exceed \$55,490, consistent with the Quote, and to waive the City's competitive procurement requirements pursuant to Section 31-11(E)(6)(g) of the City Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that this Resolution is in the best interest and welfare of the citizens of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> <u>Recitals.</u> That the above recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by reference.

Section 2. Approval. That the City Council hereby approves the issuance of a purchase order to the Vendor for the Trees.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Waiver.</u> That the City Council hereby waives the City's competitive procurement requirements pursuant to Section 31-11(E)(6)(g) of the City Code for the Trees as being in the best interest of the City.

Section 4. Authorization. That the City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to issue a purchase order to the Vendor for the Trees consistent with the Quote attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and to expend budgeted funds in an amount not to exceed \$55,490.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by <u>Councilman Best</u> who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by <u>Councilwoman Bravo</u> and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Vice Mayor Dr. Walter Fajet Councilman Bob Best Councilwoman Jacky Bravo Councilman Dr. Victor Vazquez Mayor Maria Puente Mitchell

<u>YES</u> <u>YES</u> <u>ABSENT</u> YES

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 23rd day of May, 2022.

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MARIA PUENTE MITCHELL MAYOR

ATTEST: tongalie. ERIKA GONZALEZ, MMC CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI SPRINGS ONLY:

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WEISS SEROTA HELFMAN COLE & BIERMAN, P.L. CITY ATTORNEY

EXHIBIT A

Quote from Distreebutors, Inc.



P.O. BOX 227625 * MIAMI FL 33222-7625 * 305 551 8208 * customerservice@distreebutors certified arborist * consultant * tree service * landscaping & irrigation contractors

PROPOSAL TO MIAMI SPRINGS' TREE PLANTING 2021-2022

S	PECIE	SPECS	UNIT PRICE	
B	<mark>ahuhinia p</mark> urpurea	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	385.00
C	<mark>aesaelpini</mark> a pulcherrima	1.5"Cal., 8-10'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	650.00
F	<mark>ilicium de</mark> cipiens	1.5"Cal., 8-10'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	775.00
N	<mark>/lagnolia G</mark> randiflora	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	840.00
C	<mark>rape Myrt</mark> le Muskogee N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	440.00
C	<mark>Juercus vir</mark> giniana N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	525.00
Y	<mark>ellow Elde</mark> r	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	385.00
D	<mark>elonix reg</mark> ia	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	385.00
G	ireen Buttonwood N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	385.00
S	<mark>ilver Butto</mark> nwood N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	650.00
N	<mark>/lahogany</mark> N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	425.00
P	<mark>ink Tabeb</mark> uia	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	425.00
P	<mark>igeon Plu</mark> m N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	385.00
D	<mark>ahoon Ho</mark> lly N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	385.00
S	<mark>hady Lady</mark>	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	425.00
F	<mark>lorida Tha</mark> tch Palm N	Sg trunk 7'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	650.00
S	<mark>lash Pine N</mark>	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	440.00
G	<mark>iumbo Lim</mark> bo N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	385.00
C	<mark>Jueen's Cr</mark> ape Myrtle	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	650.00
P	aradise Tree N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	440.00
V	Vild Tamarind N	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	440.00
H	long Kong Orchid	2"Cal., 10-12'OA Ht., FL#1	\$	440.00
L	<mark>ignum vita</mark> e N	1.5"Cal., 8-10'OA Ht., FL#1	\$ 1	1,600.00

* Includes furnish, deliver & installation plus initial watering, fertilizer, polymer, mulch and staki

** Any other equal or bigger desired specie may be added as per request

*** N = native