Agenda Item #:

PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

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Meeting Date: October 18, 2011		[] []	Consent Ordinance	[] [X]	Regular Public Hearing	
Department: Submitted By: Submitted For:	Department of Public Safety Department of Public Safety Division of Emergency Management ====================================					

I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to: Approve Change of name from Security Services of America, LLC. Elite Protection Services to ABM Security Services, Inc. Elite Protection Services and issue a new "Special Secondary Service" Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (COPCN).

Summary: Security Services of America LLC, Elite Protection Services currently provides Advanced Life Support (ALS) first response non-transport services as part of their security services to Delaire Country Club, Admiral's Cove, and Frenchman's Creek. Security Services of America LLC, Elite Protection Services has undergone new ownership and requires a new COPCN for the areas that they provide services for. A Public Hearing Notice was published in the Palm Beach Post on October 7, 2011. <u>Countywide GB</u>

Background and Justification: Security agencies for private communities provide rapid response to medical emergencies and have the capability to provide ALS until the primary ALS agency arrives. Florida Statutes and the County Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Ordinance (2010-056) require each private security agency providing ALS service to obtain a County Special Secondary Service Provider Non-Transport COPCN. Security Services of America LLC, Elite Protection Services' application and all related requirements to be in compliance with the EMS Ordinance (2010-056). The COPCN term is to be valid from October 18, 2011 until the communities terminate its contract with Security Services of America LLC, Elite Protection Services.

Attachments:

- 1. COPCN (2 originals) from the contracted communities of Delaire Country Club, Admiral's Cove, and Frenchman's Creek
- 2. Proof of Notice of Publication

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Recommended by:	Wint Hon toto	9/26/11
	Department Director	Date
Approved By:	Vint Abon Cato	9/26/11
	Assistant County Administrator	Date

FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact

Fiscal Years	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>
Capital Expenditures					
Operating Costs					
External Revenues			<u> </u>		
Program Income (County)					
In-Kind Match (County)					
Net Fiscal Impact	* 0				
# ADDITIONAL FTE POSITIONS (Cumulative)					
Is Item Included In Curre	nt Budget? Y	′es N	o		
Budget Account Exp No: Rev No:		oartment oartment	_	Object Object	

B. Recommended Sources of Funds/Summary of Fiscal Impact:

+ There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

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Departmental Fiscal Review: Stephanie Xe

III. REVIEW COMMENTS

A. OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Dev. and Control Comments:

OFMB Β. Legal Sufficiency: Assisi t County Attorney

C. Other Department Review:

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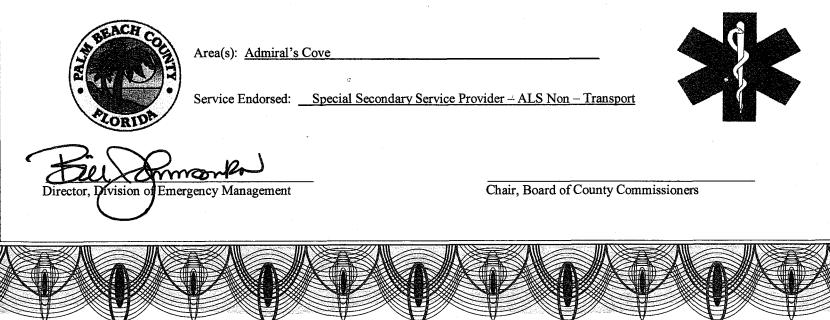
Contract Administration

Department Director

This summary is not to be used as a basis for payment.

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Area(s): Admiral's Cove

Service Endorsed: _____ Special Secondary Service Provider - ALS Non - Transport



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September 19, 2011

Palm Beach Post **Classified Department** 2751 South Dixie Highway West Palm Beach, FL 33405

RE: Notice of Public Hearing regarding the issuance of three (3) amended EMS Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity due to a corporate name change. Security Services of America, LLC dba Elite Protection Services currently holds a "Special Secondary Service Providers" Advanced Life Support (ALS) First Response, Non Transport Certificates with Palm Beach County. These certificates are for three (3) gated communities in which Security Services of America, LLC dba Elite Protection Services provides ALS services. Security Services of America, LLC dba Elite Protection Services currently provides ALS, first response; non-transport service to the communities of Delaire Country Club, Admiral's Cove, and Frenchman's Creek. The Division of Emergency Management has reviewed their request and recommends Board approval. The amended COPCN would be valid until the termination of the contract to the affected community.

Publish: Friday October 7, 2011

Please publish the enclosed Public Hearing regarding Emergency Medical Services Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity.

Please furnish this office with four (4) proofs of publication, along with your bill in quadruplicate, prior to the Public Hearing on October 18, 2011. These should be mailed to the address below:

PBC Emergency Management Attn: Lynette Schurter 20 S. Military Trail West Palm Beach, FL 33415-3130

Your assistance is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact my office at 712-6696.

Yours truly,

Public Safety Director Vince Bonvento **Division of Emergency Management**

Vince Bonvento cc. Sally Waite, EMS Office Lisa De La Rionda, Public Affairs Gentry Benjamin, Asst Cty Attorney

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held by the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, on Tuesday, October 18, 2011 at 9:30 A.M. in the Jane Thompson Memorial Chambers, 6th Floor of the Governmental Center, 301 North Olive Avenue, West Palm Beach, Florida. To approve an amendment to Security Services of America, LLC dba Elite Protection Services Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (COPCN) to include a new corporate name change.

If a person decides to appeal any decisions made by this Commission with respect to any matter considered at this meeting of hearing, he will need to have a record of proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Board of County Commissioners

Vince Bonvento, Public Safety Director Division of Public Safety