Agenda Item #: 31-7

PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

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Meeting Date:	October 7, 2014	[X] Consent [] Ordinance	[] Regular [] Public Hearing
Department:	Department of Econo	omic Sustainability	
	I. EXEC	UTIVE BRIEF	
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Attachments: 1. Contract with Pal	lm Beach County Black	Business Investment (Corporation (BBIC)
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II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact:

Fiscal Years	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Grant Expenditures	\$54,000				
Operating Costs					
External Revenues					
Program Income					
In-Kind Match (County)					
NET FISCAL IMPACT	\$54,000				

# ADDITIONAL FTE POSITIONS (Cumulative) -0-	
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Is Item Included In Current Budget? Yes X No Budget Account No.:

Fund 1539 Dept 143 Unit 1027 Object 8201 Program Code/Period N/A

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

Source of funding for \$54,000 provided through DES $\,$ Ad $\,$ Valorem dollars.

C. Departmental Fiscal Review:

Shairette Major, Fiscal Manager I

III. REVIEW COMMENTS

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

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Contract Development and Control

B. Legal Sufficiency:

Chief Assistant County Attorney

C. Other Department Review:

Department Director

CONTRACT FOR CONSULTING/PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

This Contract is made as of _______, by and between Palm Beach County, a Political Subdivision of the State of Florida, by and through its Board of Commissioners, hereinafter referred to as the COUNTY, and the <u>Palm Beach County Black Business Investment Corporation</u>, a not-for-profit Florida Corporation, hereinafter referred to as the CONSULTANT, whose Federal I.D. is <u>592829862</u>.

In consideration of the mutual promises contained herein, the COUNTY and the CONSULTANT agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 - SERVICES

The CONSULTANT'S responsibility under this Contract is to provide professional/consulting services in the area of business recruitment, retention and expansion and to promote the general business and industrial interests of the COUNTY as more specifically set forth in the Scope of Work detailed in Exhibit "A".

The COUNTY'S representative/liaison during the performance of this Contract shall be Sherry L. Howard, Deputy Director, Department of Economic Sustainability, telephone number (561) 233-3653, email showard@pbcgov.org.

The CONSULTANT'S representative/liaison during the performance of this Contract shall be John Howard, Executive Director of the Palm Beach County Black Business Investment Corporation, telephone number (561) 845-8055, email pbcbbic@att.net

ARTICLE 2 - SCHEDULE

The CONSULTANT shall commence services on October 1, 2014, the Effective Date, and complete all services by September 30, 2015.

Reports and other items shall be delivered or completed in accordance with the detailed schedule set forth in Exhibit "A".

ARTICLE 3 - PAYMENTS TO CONSULTANT

- A. The total amount to be paid by the COUNTY under this Contract for all services and materials including, if applicable, "out of pocket" expenses shall not exceed a total contract amount of Fifty-Four Thousand Dollars (\$54,000.00). The CONSULTANT shall notify the COUNTY's representative in writing when 90% of the "not to exceed amount" has been reached. The CONSULTANT will bill the COUNTY on a monthly basis, in twelve (12) equal payments of Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500.00). Invoices shall be accompanied by monthly status reports as detailed in Exhibit "A".
- B. Invoices received from the CONSULTANT pursuant to this Contract will be reviewed and approved by the COUNTY's representative, to verify that services have been rendered in conformity with the Contract. Approved invoices will then be sent to the Finance Department for payment. Invoices will normally be paid within thirty (30) days following the COUNTY representative's approval.
- C. <u>Final Invoice</u>: In order for both parties herein to close their books and records, the CONSULTANT will clearly state <u>"final invoice"</u> on the CONSULTANT'S final/last billing to the COUNTY. This shall constitute CONSULTANT'S certification that all services have been properly performed and all charges and costs have been invoiced to Palm Beach County. Any other charges not properly included on this final invoice are waived by the CONSULTANT.

<u>ARTICLE 4 – TRUTH-IN-NEGOTIATION CERTIFICATE</u>

Signature of the Contract by CONSULTANT shall also act as the execution of a truth-innegotiation certificate certifying that the wage rates, over-head charges, and other costs used to determine the compensation provided for in this Contract are accurate, complete and current as of the date of the Contract and no higher than those charged the CONSULTANT'S most favored customer for the same or substantially similar service. The said rates and costs shall be adjusted to exclude any significant sums should the COUNTY determine that the rates and costs were increased due to inaccurate, incomplete or noncurrent wage rates or due to inaccurate representations of fees paid to outside consultants. The COUNTY shall exercise its rights under this Article 4 within three (3) years following final payment.

ARTICLE 5 - TERMINATION

This Contract may be terminated by the CONSULTANT upon sixty (60) days prior written notice to the COUNTY's representative in the event of substantial failure by the COUNTY to perform in accordance with the terms of this Contract through no fault of the CONSULTANT. It may also be terminated early, in whole or in part, by the COUNTY, with or without cause, immediately upon written notice to the CONSULTANT. Unless the CONSULTANT is in breach of this Contract, the CONSULTANT shall be paid for services rendered to the COUNTY'S satisfaction through the date of early termination. After receipt of a Termination Notice and except as otherwise directed by the COUNTY the CONSULTANT shall:

- A. Stop work on the date and to the extent specified.
- B. Terminate and settle all orders and subcontracts relating to the performance of the terminated work.
- C. Transfer all work in process, completed work, and other materials related to the terminated work to the COUNTY.
- D. Continue and complete all parts of the work that have not been terminated.

ARTICLE 6 - PERSONNEL

The CONSULTANT represents that it has, or will secure at its own expense, all necessary personnel required to perform the services under this Contract. Such personnel shall not be employees of or have any contractual relationship with the COUNTY.

All of the services required hereinunder shall be performed by the CONSULTANT or under its supervision, and all personnel engaged in performing the services shall be fully qualified and, if required, authorized or permitted under state and local law to perform such services.

Any changes or substitutions in the CONSULTANT'S representative must be made known to the COUNTY'S representative and written approval must be granted by the COUNTY's representative before said change or substitution can become effective.

The CONSULTANT warrants that all services shall be performed by skilled and competent personnel to the highest professional standards in the field.

All of the CONSULTANT'S personnel (and all Subcontractors) while on County premises will comply with all COUNTY requirements governing conduct, safety and security.

ARTICLE 7 – SUBCONTRACTING

The COUNTY reserves the right to accept the use of a subcontractor or to reject the selection of a particular subcontractor and to inspect all facilities of any subcontractors in order to make a determination as to the capacity of the subcontractor to perform properly under this Contract. The CONSULTANT is encouraged to seek additional small business enterprises for participation in subcontracting opportunities. If the CONSULTANT uses any subcontractors on this project the following provisions of this Article shall apply:

If a subcontractor fails to perform or make progress, as required by this Contract, and it is necessary to replace the subcontractor to complete the work in a timely fashion, the CONSULTANT shall promptly do so, subject to acceptance of the new subcontractor by the COUNTY.

The Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners has established a minimum goal for SBE participation of 15% on all County solicitations.

The CONSULTANT agrees to abide by all provisions of the Palm Beach County Code

establishing the SBE Program, as amended, and understands that failure to comply with any of the requirements will be considered a breach of contract.

The CONSULTANT understands that each SBE firm utilized on this Contract must be certified by Palm Beach County in order to be counted toward the SBE participation goal.

The CONSULTANT shall provide the COUNTY with a copy of the CONSULTANT's contract with any SBE subcontractor or any other related documentation upon request.

The CONSULTANT understands the requirements to comply with the tasks and proportionate dollar amounts throughout the term of the Contract as it relates to the use of SBE firms.

The CONSULTANT will only be permitted to replace a certified SBE subcontractor who is unwilling or unable to perform. Such substitutions must be done with another certified SBE in order to maintain the SBE percentages established in this CONTRACT. Requests for substitutions of SBE's must be submitted to the COUNTY's representative and to the Office of Small Business Assistance.

The CONSULTANT shall be required to submit to the COUNTY Schedule 1 (Participation of SBE-M/WBE Contractors) and Schedule 2 (Letter of Intent) to further indicate the specific participation anticipated, where applicable.

The CONSULTANT agrees to maintain all relevant records and information necessary to document compliance pursuant to Palm Beach County Code and will allow the COUNTY to inspect such records.

ARTICLE 8 - FEDERAL AND STATE TAX

The COUNTY is exempt from payment of Florida State Sales and Use Taxes. The COUNTY will sign an exemption certificate submitted by the CONSULTANT. The CONSULTANT shall not be exempted from paying sales tax to its suppliers for materials used to fulfill contractual obligations with the COUNTY, nor is the CONSULTANT authorized to use the COUNTY'S Tax Exemption Number in securing such materials.

The CONSULTANT shall be responsible for payment of its own and its share of its employees' payroll, payroll taxes, and benefits with respect to this contract.

ARTICLE 9 - AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

The COUNTY'S performance and obligation to pay under this contract for subsequent fiscal years are contingent upon annual appropriations for its purpose by the Board of County Commissioners.

ARTICLE 10 - INSURANCE

- A. CONSULTANT shall, at its sole expense, agree to maintain in full force and effect at all times during the life of this Contract, insurance coverages and limits (including endorsements), as described herein. CONSULTANT shall agree to provide the COUNTY with at least ten (10) day prior notice of any cancellation, non-renewal or material change to the insurance coverages. The requirements contained herein, as well as COUNTY'S review or acceptance of insurance maintained by CONSULTANT are not intended to and shall not in any manner limit or qualify the liabilities and obligations assumed by CONSULTANT under the contract.
- B. <u>Commercial General Liability</u> CONSULTANT shall maintain Commercial General Liability at a limit of liability not less than \$500,000 Each Occurrence. Coverage shall not contain any endorsement excluding Contractual Liability or Cross Liability unless granted in writing by County's Risk Management Department. CONSULTANT shall provide this coverage on a primary basis.

- C. <u>Business Automobile Liability</u> CONSULTANT shall maintain Business Automobile Liability at a limit of liability not less than \$500,000 Each Accident for all owned, nonowned and hired automobiles. In the event CONSULTANT doesn't own any automobiles, the Business Auto Liability requirement shall be amended allowing CONSULTANT to agree to maintain only Hired & Non-Owned Auto Liability. This amended requirement may be satisfied by way of endorsement to the Commercial General Liability, or separate Business Auto coverage form. CONSULTANT shall provide this coverage on a primary basis.
- D. <u>Worker's Compensation Insurance & Employers Liability</u> CONSULTANT shall maintain Worker's Compensation & Employers Liability in accordance with Florida Statute Chapter 440. CONSULTANT shall provide this coverage on a primary basis.
- E. <u>Additional Insured</u> CONSULTANT shall endorse the COUNTY as an Additional Insured with a CG 2026 Additional Insured Designated Person or Organization endorsement, or its equivalent, to the Commercial General Liability. The Additional Insured endorsement shall read "<u>Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners, a Political Subdivision of the State of Florida, its Officers, Employees and Agents." CONSULTANT shall provide the Additional Insured endorsements coverage on a primary basis.</u>
- F. Waiver of Subrogation CONSULTANT hereby waives any and all rights of Subrogation against the County, its officers, employees and agents for each required policy. When required by the insurer, or should a policy condition not permit an insured to enter into a pre-loss agreement to waive subrogation without an endorsement to the policy, then CONSULTANT shall agree to notify the insurer and request the policy be endorsed with a Waiver of Transfer of rights of Recovery Against Others, or its equivalent. This Waiver of Subrogation requirement shall not apply to any policy, which specifically prohibits such an endorsement, or which voids coverage should CONSULTANT enter into such an agreement on a pre-loss basis.
- G. <u>Certificate(s) of Insurance</u> Prior to execution of this Contract, CONSULTANT shall deliver to the COUNTY'S representative as identified in Article 26, a Certificate(s) of Insurance evidencing that all types and amounts of insurance coverages required by this Contract have been obtained and are in full force and effect. Such Certificate(s) of Insurance shall include a minimum ten (10) day endeavor to notify due to cancellation or non-renewal of coverage. The certificate of insurance shall be issued to

Palm Beach County c/o Edward Lowery, Director Department of Economic Sustainability 100 Australian Avenue, Suite 500 West Palm Beach, Florida 33406

- H. <u>Umbrella or Excess Liability</u> If necessary, CONSULTANT may satisfy the minimum limits required above for Commercial General Liability, Business Auto Liability, and Employer's Liability coverage under Umbrella or Excess Liability. The Umbrella or Excess Liability shall have an Aggregate limit not less than the highest "Each Occurrence" limit for Commercial General Liability, Business Auto Liability or Employer's Liability. The COUNTY shall be specifically endorsed as an "Additional Insured" on the Umbrella or Excess Liability, unless the Certificate of Insurance notes the Umbrella or Excess Liability provides coverage on a "Follow-Form" basis.
- I. Right to Review COUNTY, by and through its Risk Management Department, in cooperation with the contracting/monitoring department, reserves the right to review, modify, reject or accept any required policies of insurance, including limits, coverages, or endorsements, herein from time to time throughout the term of this Contract. COUNTY reserves the right, but not the obligation, to review and reject any insurer providing coverage because of its poor financial condition or failure to operate legally.

ARTICLE 11 - INDEMNIFICATION

CONSULTANT shall protect, defend, reimburse, indemnify and hold COUNTY, its agents, employees and elected officers harmless from and against all claims, liability, expense, loss, cost, damages or causes of action of every kind or character, including attorney's fees and costs, whether at trial or appellate levels or otherwise, arising during and as a result of their performance of the terms of this Contract or due to the acts or omissions of CONSULTANT.

ARTICLE 12 - SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

The COUNTY and the CONSULTANT each binds itself and its partners, successors, executors, administrators and assigns to the other party and to the partners, successors, executors, administrators and assigns of such other party, in respect to all covenants of this Contract. Except as above, neither the COUNTY nor the CONSULTANT shall assign, convey or transfer its interest in this Contract without the prior written consent of the other. Nothing herein shall be construed as creating any personal liability on the part of any officer or agent of the COUNTY, nor shall it be construed as giving any rights or benefits hereunder to anyone other than the COUNTY and the CONSULTANT.

ARTICLE 13 - REMEDIES

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida. Any legal action necessary to enforce the Contract will be held in Palm Beach County. No remedy herein conferred upon any party is intended to be exclusive of any other remedy, and each and every such remedy shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to every other remedy given hereunder or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity, by statute or otherwise. No single or partial exercise by any party of any right, power, or remedy hereunder shall preclude any other or further exercise thereof.

No provision of this Contract is intended to, or shall be construed to, create any third party beneficiary or to provide any rights to any person or entity not a party to this Contract, including but not limited to any citizen or employees of the COUNTY and/or CONSULTANT.

ARTICLE 14 - CONFLICT OF INTEREST

The CONSULTANT represents that it presently has no interest and shall acquire no interest, either direct or indirect, which would conflict in any manner with the performance of services required hereunder, as provided for in Chapter 112, Part III, Florida Statutes and the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics. The CONSULTANT further represents that no person having any such conflict of interest shall be employed for said performance of services.

The CONSULTANT shall promptly notify the COUNTY's representative, in writing, by certified mail, of all potential conflicts of interest of any prospective business association, interest or other circumstance which may influence or appear to influence the CONSULTANT'S judgment or quality of services being provided hereunder. Such written notification shall identify the prospective business association, interest or circumstance, the nature of work that the CONSULTANT may undertake and request an opinion of the COUNTY as to whether the association, interest or circumstance would, in the opinion of the COUNTY, constitute a conflict of interest if entered into by the CONSULTANT. The COUNTY agrees to notify the CONSULTANT of its opinion by certified mail within thirty (30) days of receipt of notification by the CONSULTANT. If, in the opinion of the COUNTY, the prospective business association, interest or circumstance would not constitute a conflict of interest by the CONSULTANT, the COUNTY shall so state in the notification and the CONSULTANT shall, at its option, enter into said association, interest or circumstance and it shall be deemed not in conflict of interest with respect to services provided to the COUNTY by the CONSULTANT under the terms of this Contract.

The CONSULTANT shall require its president and directors to complete an executed public disclosure, in writing, under oath and subject to the penalties prescribed for perjury, on the form attached hereto as Exhibit "B" prohibiting CONSULTANT'S president and directors or their business associates, relatives and/or person or company by whom the president/director is retained from having a beneficial interest in any projects recommended by CONSULTANT to COUNTY for all projects recommended by CONSULTANT to the COUNTY. Beneficial Interest forms shall be submitted to the COUNTY prior to any project being recommended by CONSULTANT to the COUNTY.

ARTICLE 15 - EXCUSABLE DELAYS

The CONSULTANT shall not be considered in default by reason of any failure in performance if such failure arises out of causes reasonably beyond the control of the CONSULTANT or its subcontractors and without their fault or negligence. Such causes include, but are not limited to, acts of God, force majeure, natural or public health emergencies, labor disputes, freight embargoes, and abnormally severe and unusual weather conditions.

Upon the CONSULTANT'S request, the COUNTY shall consider the facts and extent of any failure to perform the work and, if the CONSULTANT'S failure to perform was without it or its subcontractors fault or negligence, the Contract Schedule and/or any other affected provision of this Contract shall be revised accordingly, subject to the COUNTY'S rights to change, terminate, or stop any or all of the work at any time.

ARTICLE 16 - ARREARS

The CONSULTANT shall not pledge the COUNTY'S credit or make it a guarantor of payment or surety for any contract, debt, obligation, judgment, lien, or any form of indebtedness. The CONSULTANT further warrants and represents that it has no obligation or indebtedness that would impair its ability to fulfill the terms of this Contract.

ARTICLE 17 - DISCLOSURE AND OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS

The CONSULTANT shall deliver to the COUNTY's representative for approval and acceptance, and before being eligible for final payment of any amounts due, all documents and materials prepared by and for the COUNTY under this Contract.

To the extent allowed by Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, all written and oral information not in the public domain or not previously known, and all information and data obtained, developed, or supplied by the COUNTY or at its expense will be kept confidential by the CONSULTANT and will not be disclosed to any other party, directly or indirectly, without the COUNTY'S prior written consent unless required by a lawful court order. All data base, reports and other data developed, or purchased, under this Contract for or at the COUNTY'S expense shall be and remain the COUNTY'S property and may be reproduced and reused at the discretion of the COUNTY.

All covenants, agreements, representations and warranties made herein, or otherwise made in writing by any party pursuant hereto, including but not limited to any representations made herein relating to disclosure or ownership of documents, shall survive the execution and delivery of this Contract and the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby.

Notwithstanding any other provision in this Contract, all documents, records, reports and any other materials produced hereunder shall be subject to disclosure, inspection and audit, pursuant to the Palm Beach County Office of the Inspector General, Palm Beach County Code, Sections 2-421-2-440, as amended.

ARTICLE 18 - INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR RELATIONSHIP

The CONSULTANT is, and shall be, in the performance of all work services and activities under this Contract, an Independent Contractor, and not an employee, agent, or servant of the COUNTY. All persons engaged in any of the work or services performed pursuant to this Contract shall at all times, and in all places, be subject to the CONSULTANT'S sole direction, supervision, and control. The CONSULTANT shall exercise control over the means and manner in which it and its employees perform the work, and in all respects the CONSULTANT'S relationship and the relationship of its employees to the COUNTY shall be that of an

Independent Contractor and not as employees or agents of the COUNTY.

The CONSULTANT does not have the power or authority to bind the COUNTY in any promise, agreement or representation.

ARTICLE 19 - CONTINGENT FEES

The CONSULTANT warrants that it has not employed or retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for the CONSULTANT to solicit or secure this Contract and that it has not paid or agreed to pay any person, company, corporation, individual, or firm, other than a bona fide employee working solely for the CONSULTANT, any fee, commission, percentage, gift, or any other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Contract.

ARTICLE 20 - ACCESS AND AUDITS

The CONSULTANT shall maintain adequate records to justify all charges, expenses, and costs incurred in estimating and performing the work for at least three (3) years after completion or termination of this Contract. The COUNTY shall have access to such books, records, and documents as required in this section for the purpose of inspection or audit during normal business hours, at the CONSULTANT'S place of business.

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, as provided under Section 119.0701, F.S., where the CONSULTANT: (i) provides a service and (ii) acts on behalf of the COUNTY as provided under Section 119.001(2), F.S., the CONSULTANT is required to:

- A. Maintain public records that ordinarily and necessarily would be required by the COUNTY in order to perform the services;
- B. Provide the public with access to public records on the same terms and conditions that the COUNTY would provide the records and at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided by Florida law;
- C. Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law; and
- D. Meet all requirements for retaining public records and transfer, at no cost, to the COUNTY all public records in possession of the CONSULTANT upon termination of the Contract and destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. All records stored electronically must be provided to the COUNTY in a format that is compatible with information technology systems of the COUNTY.

Failure of the CONSULTANT to comply with these requirements shall be a material breach of this Contract.

Palm Beach County has established the Office of the Inspector General in Palm Beach County Code, Section 2-421 – 2-440, as may be amended. The Inspector General's authority includes but is not limited to the power to review past, present and proposed County contracts, transactions, accounts and records, to require the production of records, and to audit, investigate, monitor, and inspect the activities of the CONSULTANT, its officers, agents, employees, and lobbyists in order to ensure compliance with contract requirements and detect corruption and fraud.

Failure to cooperate with the Inspector General or interfering with or impeding any investigation shall be in violation of Palm Beach County Code, Section 2-421-2-440, and punishable pursuant to Section 125.69, Florida Statutes, in the same manner as a second degree misdemeanor.

ARTICLE 21 - NONDISCRIMINATION

The CONSULTANT warrants and represents that all of its employees are treated equally during employment without regard to race, color, religion, disability, sex, age, national origin, ancestry, marital status, familial status, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, or genetic information.

ARTICLE 22 - AUTHORITY TO PRACTICE

The CONSULTANT hereby represents and warrants that it has and will continue to maintain all licenses and approvals required to conduct its business, and that it will at all times conduct its business activities in a reputable manner. Proof of such licenses and approvals shall be submitted to the COUNTY's representative upon request.

ARTICLE 23 - SEVERABILITY

If any term or provision of this Contract, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances shall, to any extent, be held invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Contract, or the application of such terms or provision, to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it is held invalid or unenforceable, shall not be affected, and every other term and provision of this Contract shall be deemed valid and enforceable to the extent permitted by law.

ARTICLE 24 - PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES

As provided in F.S. 287.132-133, by entering into this contract or performing any work in furtherance hereof, the CONSULTANT certifies that it, its affiliates, suppliers, subcontractors and consultants who will perform hereunder, have not been placed on the convicted vendor list maintained by the State of Florida Department of Management Services within the 36 months immediately preceding the date hereof. This notice is required by F.S. 287.133(3)(a).

ARTICLE 25 - MODIFICATIONS OF WORK

The COUNTY reserves the right to make changes in Scope of Work, including alterations, reductions therein or additions thereto. Upon receipt by the CONSULTANT of the COUNTY'S notification of a contemplated change, the CONSULTANT shall, in writing: (1) provide a detailed estimate for the increase or decrease in cost due to the contemplated change, (2) notify the COUNTY of any estimated change in the completion date, and (3) advise the COUNTY if the contemplated change will affect the CONSULTANT'S ability to meet the completion dates or schedules of this Contract.

If the COUNTY so instructs in writing, the CONSULTANT shall suspend work on that portion of the Scope of Work affected by a contemplated change, pending the COUNTY'S decision to proceed with the change.

If the COUNTY elects to make the change, the COUNTY shall initiate a Contract Amendment and the CONSULTANT shall not commence work on any such change until such written amendment is signed by the CONSULTANT and approved and executed on behalf of Palm Beach County.

ARTICLE 26 - NOTICE

All notices required in this Contract shall be sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, hand delivery or other delivery service requiring signed acceptance. If sent to the COUNTY, notices shall be addressed to:

Edward Lowery Director, Department of Economic Sustainability 100 Australian Avenue, Suite 500 West Palm Beach, Florida 33406

With copy to:

Dawn Wynn, Sr. Assistant County Attorney County Attorney's Office 301 North Olive Avenue, Suite 601 West Palm Beach, Florida 33401

If sent to the CONSULTANT, notices shall be addressed to:

John Howard, Executive Director Palm Beach County Black Business Investment Corporation 2001 Broadway, Suite 250 West Palm Beach, Florida 33404

ARTICLE 27 - ENTIRETY OF CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT

The COUNTY and the CONSULTANT agree that this Contract sets forth the entire agreement between the parties, and that there are no promises or understandings other than those stated herein. None of the provisions, terms and conditions contained in this Contract may be added to, modified, superseded or otherwise altered, except by written instrument executed by the parties hereto in accordance with Article 25 - Modifications of Work.

ARTICLE 28 - CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORDS CHECK

If CONSULTANT'S employees or subcontractors are required under this contract to enter a "critical facility" as identified in Resolution R-2003-1274, the CONSULTANT shall comply with the provisions of Chapter 2, Article IX of the Palm Beach County Code ("Criminal History Records Check" section). The CONSULTANT acknowledges and agrees that all employees and subcontractors who are to enter a "critical facility" will be subject to a fingerprint based criminal history records check. Although COUNTY agrees to pay for all applicable FDLE/FBI fees required for criminal history record checks, the CONSULTANT shall be solely responsible for the financial, schedule, and staffing implications associated in complying with this section of the Palm Beach County Code.

<u>ARTICLE 29 - REGULATIONS; LICENSING REQUIREMENTS:</u>

The CONSULTANT shall comply with all laws, ordinances and regulations applicable to the services contemplated herein including those applicable to conflict of interest and collusion. CONSULTANT is presumed to be familiar with all federal, state and local laws, ordinances, codes and regulations that may in any way affect the services offered.

ARTICLE 30- PALM BEACH COUNTY LOBBYIST REGISTRATION ORDINANCE

The CONSULTANT and its board members shall be prohibited from lobbying as defined under the Palm Beach County Lobbyist Registration Ordinance, Palm Beach County Code Section 2-351, *et seq*, for any project under consideration by the COUNTY.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, has made and executed this Contract on behalf of the COUNTY and the CONSULTANT has hereunto set its hand and seal the day and year above written.

(SEAL) Corporation not-for-profit	PALM BEACH COUNTY BLACK BUSINESS INVESTMENT CORPORATION		
	By. John H. Howard, President		
(COUNTY SEAL BELOW)	PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, a Political Subdivision of the State of Florida BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS		
ATTEST: Sharon R. Bock, Clerk & Comptroller	By:Priscilla A. Taylor, Mayor Palm Beach County		
By: Deputy Clerk	Document No.:		
Approved as to Form and Legal Sufficiency	Approved as to Terms and Conditions Dept. of Economic Sustainability		
By: Dawn S. Wynn Assistant County Attorney	By: Howard Deputy Director		

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EXHIBIT "A" SCOPE OF SERVICES

TASK 1- ASSIST FOUR (4) BUSINESSES OWNED BY BLACK CITIZENS IN OBTAINING A TOTAL OF \$500,000 IN LOANS APPROVED BY BANKS/ FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, WHICH CREATE OR RETAIN 25 JOBS

Task 1 -Business Loans and Jobs

CONSULTANT shall assist four (4) businesses owned by Black citizens to secure a total amount of \$500,000 in business loans approved by Banks/Financial Institutions. The four (4) businesses which receive the loans shall create/retain the equivalent of 25 full time equivalent jobs.

Task 1-Reporting Deliverables for Individual Businesses

CONSULTANT shall provide a detailed monthly written report, to be accompanied by each invoice, which shall include the following for each business assisted that has received an approved loan from a Banking/Financial Institution:

- 1. Business Name
- 2. Business Address/Location
- 3. Type of Business
- 4. Identify the NAICS code for 2012, from the following website link, which best describes the business NAICS Code and Industry Title http://www.naics.com/search.htm
- 5. Dollar amount of new capital investment, excluding equipment
- 6. Dollar amount of new equipment
- 7. Number of New Full Time Equivalent Jobs Created
- 8. Number of Full Time Equivalent Jobs Retained
- 9. Total Number of Full Time Equivalent Jobs Created and Retained
- 10. Name of Bank/Financial Institution Approving the Loan
- 11. Amount of Loan for each Business

The CONSULTANT shall provide the information requested in EXHIBIT "C" as their detailed monthly reports for above tasks, to accompany each invoice.

Task 2- SERVE 270 CLIENTS

CONSULTANT shall assist 270 clients that seek assistance for business loans, bonding, equity capital, and/or other business services.

Task 2-Reporting Deliverables

CONSULTANT shall provide a detailed monthly report, to be accompanied by each invoice, which shall include the following information:

- 1. Name of client assisted
- 2. Date of assistance
- 3. Type of assistance sought by client/client needs

The CONSULTANT shall provide the information requested in EXHIBIT "D" as their detailed monthly reports for above tasks, to accompany each invoice.

EXHIBIT "B"

DISCLOSURE OF BENEFICIAL INTERESTS

TO: PALM BEACH COUNTY CHIEF OFFICER, OR HIS OR HER OFFICIALLY DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE

STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF PALM BEACH

	BEFORE ME, the undersigned author	rity, this day personally appeared, hereinafter referred to as "Affiant", who being
	by me first duly sworn, under oath, de	eposes and states as follows:
1.	Affiant is the position - (i.e. employed Palm Beach County Black Business I recommending incentive funding for	e, Board Member) of the nvestment Corporation, which entity is
	(Project Name).	,
2.	Affiant's address is	
3.	Affiant acknowledges that they, their company by whom the Affiant is reta	business associates, relatives and/or person or ined has no beneficial interest in
	(Project Name).	·
4.	Affiant further states that the Affiant penalties provided by the laws of the under oath.	is familiar with the nature of an oath and with the State of Florida for falsely swearing to statements
5.	Under penalty of perjury, Affiant dec the best of Affiant's knowledge and b	lares that Affiant has examined this Affidavit and to belief it is true, correct, and complete.
	FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NA	UGHT.
		—— Affiant
	(Print Affiant Name)	Aman
	foregoing instrument was sworn to and a, 201, by	acknowledged before me this day of [] who is personally
knov iden	wn to me or [] who has producedtification and who did take an oath.	as
	{ Notary Seal}	Notary Public
		Print Notary Name
		Commission Number:
		Commission expires

EXHIBIT "C"

BBIC REPORTING FORM FOR EACH BUSINESS ASSISTED				
Business Name				
Business Address/Location				
Type of Business				
Identify the six (6) digit NAICS code for 2012, from the following website link, which best describes the business NAICS Code and Industry Title - http://www.census.gov/eos/www/naics/ or http://www.naics.com/search.htm				
Dollar amount of new capital investment, excluding equipment				
Dollar amount of new equipment				
Number of Full Time Equivalent Jobs Created				
Number of Full Time Equivalent Jobs Retained				
Total Number of Full Time Equivalent Jobs Created and Retained				
Name of the Bank/Financial Institution Approving the Loan				
Amount of Business Loan				

NAICS Code and Industry Title, http://www.naics.com/search.htm

Code	Industry Title	Code	Industry Title
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	<u>53</u>	Real Estate Rental and Leasing
<u>21</u>	Mining	<u>54</u>	Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services
<u>22</u>	<u>Utilities</u>	<u>55</u>	Management of Companies and Enterprises
<u>23</u>	Construction	<u>56</u>	Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services
31-33	Manufacturing	<u>61</u>	Educational Services
<u>42</u>	Wholesale Trade	<u>62</u>	Health Care and Social Assistance
44-45	Retail Trade	<u>71</u>	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation
48-49	Transportation and Warehousing	<u>72</u>	Accommodation and Food Services
<u>51</u>	<u>Information</u>	<u>81</u>	Other Services (except Public Administration)
<u>52</u>	Finance and Insurance	<u>92</u>	Public Administration

EXHIBIT "D"

EXHIBIT	
PBC BBIC REPORT FOR INDIVIDUAL CLIENTS ASSISTED DURING THE MONTH OF	201

Place an X ir	n appropriate box.						
#	Date	Name	Business Loan	Line of Credit	Working Capital	Real Estate Loan	Consultant
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I certify this I John H. Howard Printed I		be accurate which will be mai President Title	ntained by the BBIC for monitor Employer Signature		the terms of the BBIC's C Date	ontract with Palm Beach Coun	ty.
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BBIC

Palm Beach. County
Black Business Investment Corporation
2001 Broadway, Suite 210, Riviera Beach, Florida 33404 (561) 845-8055

September 21, 2014

Ms. Pamela L. Nolan Department of Economic Sustainability Palm Beach County P.O. Box 1989 West Palm Beach, Fl. 33402

Dear Ms. Nolan,

Palm Beach County Black Business Investment Corporation (PBCBBIC) is a non-profit Corporation, formed in 1985. PBCBBIC is staffed by one employee and is not required to carry Workers Compensation Insurance.

Sincerely,

John H. Howard

President



Quote: - PALM BEACH COUNTY BLACK BUSINESS INVESTMENT CORP. - Quoted On: 9/25/2014 10:57:29 AM

Business Description: Financial Service Office Form of Business: CORPORATION

Coverage Summary.

Commercial General Liability Coverages;	desc on
Policy Fee	\$800,00
FHCF	\$25.00
Par secondaria.	\$7,80
Citizens 2005 Fee	\$6.00
Total Premium;	\$838,80

PLEASE REVIEW THIS QUOTE CAREFULLY AS COVERAGES, LIMITS, ENDORSEMENTS AND DEDUCTIBLES MAY DIFFER FROM THOSE REQUESTED ON ANY SUBMITTED APPLICATION OR

Individual Coverages

General Liability

Limits for General Liability

General Aggregate Limit (Other than Products/Completed Operations): \$1,000,000 Products/Completed Operations Aggregate Limit: \$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury Limit: \$500,000 Each Occurrence Limit. \$500,000	- Control Liebility	
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Location Address

Location: t

2001 BROADWAY # 210, West Palm Beach, FL 33404

Classification Schedule

Location Classification Description	Class Coverage	Rating		
1 61226 - Buildings or		Basis Exposure	Deductible	Deductible Type
Premises - office - NOC **	61226 Products	Squere 900	90	

For classification 61226 - Buildings or Premises - office - NOC, the coverage for Products and/or Completed Operations is included in the Premises/Operations coverage at no additional premium charge. Products-completed operations are subject to the General Aggregate Limit.

Basic Coverage Premium:	\$550.00
Attached Fut	\$000UU

hed Endorsements Premium: Total General Liability Premium:

\$50,00 \$600.00

Additional insured

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Name:

PALM BEACH COUNTY of DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SUSTAINABILITY

Address: 100 AUSTRALIAN AVENUE, SUITE 500 WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33406

' Interest: Lessing company of lessed equipment

Forms and Endorsements

Forms and Endorsements Applicable To This Coverage Part Where "0" appears for Location and Building, the described er

Location Building Form Number Date Description O CG 00 01 12 07 Commercial General Labrity Coverage O CG 00 88 05-09 Recording & Distribution of Material or O CG 02 20 03-12 Flat Chapter Carrestiation & Notice and	Pretnium Parameter and State of State o
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Policy Period: August 01, 2014 to February 01, 2015

PREMIUM PAID: \$1,974.47

AUTO RENEWAL

DO NOT PAY.

Your premium is billed through the State Farm Payment Plan

State Farm Payment Plan Number: 1254985919

Your State Farm Agent

JUAN J WILLIAMS INS AGCY INC

Office: 561-881-7211

Address: 1525 PROSPERITY FARMS RD STE A

LAKE PARK, FL 33403-2029

If you have a new or different car, have added any drivers, or have moved, please contact your agent.

CHRISTINE HOWARD

2010 LEXUS LS 460

Principal Driver:

Vehicle:

Policy Number: C45 9504-B01-59

Your policy has increased 1.3% due to the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund Assessment.

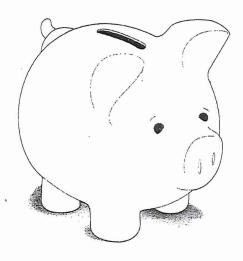
IMPORTANT NOTICE- Under No-Fault Coverage, the only medical expenses we will pay are reasonable medical expenses that are payable under the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law. The most we will pay for such reasonable medical expenses is 80% of the "schedule of maximum charges" found in the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law and in the Limits section of the Florida Car Policy's No-Fault Coverage.

When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us either to use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check transaction. When we use information from your check to make an electronic fund transfer, funds may be withdrawn from your account as soon as the same day we receive your payment, and you will not receive your check back from your financial institution.

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VEHICLE INFORMATION

Review your policy information carefully. If anything is incorrect, or if there are any changes, please let us know right away.

Vehicle Description	Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)	Who principally drives this vehicle?	How is this vehicle normally used? National average: 12,000 miles driven annually per vehicle
2010 LEXUS LS 460	JTHGL5EF6A5041459	CHRISTINE HOWARD, a married female, who will be age 67 as of August 01, 2014.	To Work, School or Pleasure. Driven over 7,500 miles annually.

Other Household Vehicle(s)

Your premium may be influenced by other State Farm policies that currently insure the following vehicle(s) in your household:

2002 LEXUS LS 430

Premium Adjustment

Each year, we review our medical payments and personal injury protection coverages claim experience to determine the vehicle safety discount that is applied to each make and model. In addition, we review the comprehensive, collision, bodily injury and property damage claim experience

annually to determine which makes and models have earned decreases or increases from State Farm's standard rates. If any changes result from our reviews, adjustments are reflected in the rates shown on this renewal notice.

DRIVER INFORMATION

Assigned Driver(s)

The following driver(s) are assigned to the vehicle(s) on this policy.

Name	Age as of August 01, 2014	Gender	Marital Status	
CHRISTINE HOWARD	67	Female	Married	

Other Household Driver(s)

In addition to the Principal Driver(s) and Assigned Driver(s), your premium may be influenced by the drivers shown below and other individuals permitted to drive your vehicle. This list does not extend or expand coverage beyond that contained in this automobile policy. The drivers listed below are the drivers reported to us that most frequently drive other vehicles in your household.

JOHN HOWARD

Principal Driver & Assigned Drivers

For each automobile, the **Principal Driver** is the individual who most frequently drives it.

Each driver is designated as an **Assigned Driver** on the household automobile that he or she most frequently drives.

Your premium may be influenced by the information shown for these drivers.

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COVERA	GE AND LIMITS See your policy for an explanation of these coverages.	
Α	Liability	
	Bodily Injury 500,000/500,000	
	Property Damage 100,000	\$765.30
P10	No Fault	\$412.38
D	250 Deductible Comprehensive	\$62.73
G	250 Deductible Collision	\$406.72
Н	Emergency Road Service	\$1.60
R1	Car Rental & Travel Expense	
	80% Per Day, \$1,000 Max	\$12.00
U	Uninsured Motor Vehicle	
	Bodily Injury 500,000/500,000	\$288.40
	c	\$1,949.13
	Plus Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund (FHCF) Assessment	\$25.34
Total Premi	um	\$1,974.47

If any coverage you carry is changed to give broader protection with no additional premium charge, we will give you the broader protection without issuing a new policy, starting on the date we adopt the broader protection.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT UNINSURED MOTOR VEHICLE COVERAGE

Now is a good time to consider either-adding Uninsured Motor Vehicle Coverage, or increasing your limits for this coverage. This coverage protects you, your resident family members and your passengers in the event of bodily injury sustained in an accident for which an unidentified, uninsured, or underinsured driver is legally liable. You have the right to choose one of these options:

a. select stacking coverage (U) with any available limits up to your bodily injury liability coverage limits, which means that if more than one Uninsured Motor Vehicle Coverage applies, the limits for the applicable coverages may be added together (Stacking is not available for policies with a named insured that is not a natural person);

b. select, at a reduced premium, non-stacking coverage (U3) with any available limits up to your bodily injury liability coverage limits, which means the Uninsured Motor Vehicle Coverage limits are not added together in most circumstances. The non-stacking coverage on this policy is not available to persons injured while occupying a motor vehicle owned by you or a resident family member which is not insured for uninsured motorist coverage by this policy; or c. reject this coverage entirely.

Please contact your State Farm agent if you wish to change coverage.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT PREMIUM SAVINGS FOR NO-FAULT COVERAGE

(Coverage P - Personal Injury Protection Insurance) For personal injury protection insurance, the named insured may elect a deductible and to exclude coverage for loss of gross income and loss of earning capacity ("lost wages"). These elections apply to the named insured alone, or to the named insured and all dependent resident relatives. A premium reduction will result from these elections. The named insured is hereby advised not to elect the lost wage exclusion if the named insured or dependent resident relatives are employed, since lost wages will not be payable in the event of an accident.

Please contact your agent for information about No-Fault premium savings.

DISCOUNTS These adjustments have already been applied to your premium.

Antilock Brakes	✓
Multicar	✓
Antitheft	. ✓
Vehicle Safety	✓
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DISCOUNTS continued

Good Driving	
Homeownership	
Total Discounts	\$935.21

SURCHARGES AND DISCOUNTS

AUTOMOBILE RATING PLAN - Applies to private passenger cars only.

Accident-Free Discount - Once your policy has been in force for at least three years with no chargeable accidents, you may qualify for our Accident-Free Discount. Once you qualify, this discount applies as long as there are no chargeable accidents, and may even increase over time.

Good Driving Discount - Newer policyholders who do not yet qualify for our Accident-Free Discount (available after three years with no chargeable accidents) may already be receiving a Good Driving Discount. This discount continues to apply until your policy qualifies for the Accident-Free Discount as long as there are no chargeable accidents and no new drivers. If you add new drivers, they must also qualify in order for your Good Driving Discount to continue.

Chargeable Accidents - For new business rating, an accident is chargeable if it results in \$750 or more of damage to any property. For renewal business, an accident is chargeable as of the date State Farm pays at least \$750 (for accidents occurring on or after April 1, 1999) under

property damage liability and collision coverages for an at-fault accident.

Surcharges - If there are chargeable accidents, you may lose your Good Driving Discount or Accident-Free Discount and receive accident surcharges. But if the accident is the first to become chargeable in nine years and this policy has been in force for at least that long, the Accident-Free Discount will continue and no surcharge will apply. The surcharge for each accident depends upon the number and timing of the accidents, and each accident surcharge will remain in effect up to three years.

Surcharges will be removed if the company is given satisfactory evidence that the driver involved is no longer a member of the household or will not be driving the car in the future. If that driver is insured on another State Farm policy, his or her driving record will be considered in the rating of the other policy.

These discounts and surcharges do not apply to all coverages. For complete details, see your State Farm agent.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If the above information is incomplete or inaccurate, or if you want to confirm the information we have in our records please contact your agent.

Rates adjusted for auto insurance in Florida

Auto insurance rates for Florida customers have been adjusted to better reflect changing claim costs. Overall, some customers will see an increase in their premium, while others will see a premium decrease. The amount your premium may have changed depends on many factors, including:

- the coverages you have
- where you live
- the kind of car you drive
- how the car is used
- who drives the car

Any premium adjustment is reflected on your enclosed billing notice. If you have any questions, Please contact your agent.

Save money with our Drive Safe & Save™ Discount! Empowering Your Drive™

You can receive a discount on your premium by participating in our Drive Safe & Save Program. This program recognizes how much and, in some cases, how safely your vehicle is driven. There are several ways you can participate depending on the vehicle (continued on next page)

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you drive. You'll receive an initial participation discount just for enrolling. At each six-month renewal, your discount will be adjusted based on information collected from your car.

Contact your State Farm agent or visit drivesafeandsave.com for details.



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