

**PALM BEACH COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: January 13, 2015

☒ Consent
☐ Ordinance

☐ Regular
☐ Public Hearing

Department: Department of Public Safety
Submitted By: Department of Public Safety
Submitted For: Division of Emergency Management

I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to: **APPROVE** a contract with Palm Beach County Disaster Recovery Coalition, Inc. (DRC) for disaster response and recovery services in support of the Palm Beach County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (CEMP) in an amount not to exceed \$50,985 for the period commencing October 1, 2014 and ending September 30, 2015.

Summary: The County has allocated \$50,985 in ad valorem funding for disaster response and recovery services in support of the Palm Beach County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (CEMP). The DRC, with the assistance of the Division of Human Services, will fulfill all the responsibilities of a lead agency as outlined in the County's CEMP to include assistance for unmet needs of County residents, referrals for individuals/families seeking home repair assistance and coordination with Palm Beach County League of Cities to ensure municipal unmet needs are addressed and prioritized. For this contract, DRC will recruit non-profit agencies and faith based organizations to support disaster response efforts, expand and update resource registry, conduct community-wide disaster preparedness presentations and training sessions for various case-management agencies, develop a process for coordination, collection, and dissemination of the Unmet Needs Report, fulfill all the responsibilities of a lead agency as outlined in the County's CEMP, develop and conduct training for team members, and coordinate disaster response and repair activities in the event of a disaster. **Countywide (JB)**

Background and Justification: Disaster preparedness activities have been expanded since the onset of multiple hurricanes affecting Palm Beach County in 2004 and 2005. The expanded efforts have included additional planning to meet human service needs and to accelerate recovery projects utilizing non-profit agencies and faith based organizations. The County has partnered with DRC to utilize the services of faith based and non-profit organizations in a more efficient manner. The contract funds will allow DRC to continue its efforts to address the unmet needs of individuals and families and will enable a more efficient and comprehensive response in the event of a future disaster.

Attachment:

1. Contract for Palm Beach County Disaster Recovery Coalition, Inc.

Recommended by:

Department Director

Date _____

Approved by:

Assistant County Administrator

Date _____

II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact

Fiscal Years	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>
Capital Expenditures					
Operating Costs	\$50,985				
External Revenues					
Program Income (County)					
In-Kind Match (County)					
Net Fiscal Impact	\$50,985	0	0	0	0

ADDITIONAL FTE

POSITIONS (Cumulative)

Is Item Included In Current Budget? Yes X No

Budget Account Exp No.: Fund 0001 Department 660 Unit 7130 Object 3401

Rev No.: Fund _____ Department _____ Unit _____ Source _____

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

Fund: General Fund

Unit: Disaster Response Recovery

C. Departmental Fiscal Review:

Stephanie Selfnors


III. REVIEW COMMENTS

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

OFMB *J. H. C.* 12/23/14
SN 12/23/14 *adv* 12/23

Dr. J. Jacobs
Contract Administration
12-24-14 *B. Wheeler*

B. Legal Sufficiency:

 12/30/14
Assistant County Attorney

C. Other Department Review:

Department Director

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

**CONTRACT FOR
DISASTER RESPONSE AND RECOVERY SERVICES WITH
PALM BEACH COUNTY DISASTER RECOVERY COALITION, INC.**

This Contract is made as of the 13 day of January, 2015, 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 (PALM BEACH COUNTY DISASTER RECOVERY COALITION, INC.), a (non-for-profit corporation) authorized to do business in the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the CONSULTANT (including, but not limited to, entity, vendor, contractor), whose Federal I.D. is 20-4595245.

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 disaster response and recovery services to residents of Palm Beach 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 Bill Johnson, telephone no. (561) 712-6321.

The CONSULTANT'S representative/liaison during the performance of this Contract shall be Jennifer Beckman, telephone no. (561) 310-2033.

ARTICLE 2 - SCHEDULE

The CONSULTANT shall commence services on October 1, 2014 and complete all services by September 30, 2015. The parties agree that the CONSULTANT will be entitled to payment for services rendered beginning on October 1, 2014, notwithstanding the date the contract is executed by the Board of County Commissioners or its designee.

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 (specified in paragraph C below) shall not exceed a total contract amount of Fifty Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Five Dollars (\$ 50,985.00). 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, or as otherwise provided, at the amounts set forth in Exhibit "B" for services rendered toward the completion of the Scope of Work. Where incremental billings for partially completed items are permitted, the total billings shall not exceed the estimated percentage of completion as of the billing date.

- 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. "Out-of-pocket" expenses will be reimbursed up to an amount not to exceed n/a Dollars (\$ n/a), and in accordance with the list of the types and amounts of expenditures eligible for reimbursement as set forth in Exhibit "B". All requests for payment of "out-of-pocket" expenses eligible for reimbursement under the terms of this Contract shall include copies of paid receipts, invoices, or other documentation acceptable to the Palm Beach County Finance Department. Such documentation shall be sufficient to establish that the expense was actually incurred and necessary in the performance of the Scope of Work described in this Contract. Any travel, per diem, mileage, meals, or lodging expenses which may be reimbursable under the terms of this Contract will be paid in accordance with the rates and conditions set forth in Section 112.061, Florida Statutes.
- D. Final Invoice: In order for both parties herein to close their books and records, the CONSULTANT will clearly state "final invoice" 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.

ARTICLE 4 - TRUTH-IN-NEGOTIATION CERTIFICATE

Signature of this Contract by the CONSULTANT shall also act as the execution of a truth-in-negotiation 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, 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 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 key personnel, as may be listed in Exhibit "A", 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 capability 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 this 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 with the 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. **Commercial General Liability** 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. **Business Automobile Liability** CONSULTANT shall maintain Business Automobile Liability at a limit of liability not less than **\$500,000** Each Accident for all owned, non-owned 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. **Worker's Compensation Insurance & Employers Liability** 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. **Professional Liability** CONSULTANT shall maintain Professional Liability or equivalent Errors & Omissions Liability at a limit of liability not less than **\$1,000,000** Each Claim. When a self-insured retention (SIR) or deductible exceeds **\$10,000**, COUNTY reserves the right, but not the obligation, to review and request a copy of CONSULTANT'S most recent annual report or audited financial statement. For policies written on a "Claims-Made" basis, CONSULTANT shall maintain a Retroactive Date prior to or equal to the effective date of this Contract. The Certificate of Insurance providing evidence of the purchase of this coverage shall clearly indicate whether coverage is provided on an "occurrence" or "claims - made" form. If coverage is provided on a "claims - made" form the Certificate of Insurance must also clearly indicate the "retroactive date" of coverage. In the event the policy is canceled, non-renewed, switched to an Occurrence Form, retroactive date advanced, or any other event triggering the right to purchase a Supplement Extended Reporting Period (SERP) during the life of this Contract, CONSULTANT shall purchase a SERP with a minimum reporting period not less than 3 years. CONSULTANT shall provide this coverage on a primary basis.

Additional Insured 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 **"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.

- 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. **Certificate(s) of Insurance** 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
Public Safety Department
Attn Vince Bonvento, Director
20 South Military Trail
West Palm Beach, FL 33415

- H. **Umbrella or Excess Liability** If necessary, CONSULTANT may satisfy the minimum limits required above for either 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 either 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, sublet, convey or transfer its interest in this Contract without the prior written consent of the other.

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 judgement 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.

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 drawings, maps, sketches, programs, 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.

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 punished 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.

CONSULTANT has submitted to COUNTY a copy of its non-discrimination policy which is consistent with the above, as contained in Resolution R-2014-1421, as amended, or in the alternative, if CONSULTANT does not have a written non-discrimination policy, it has acknowledged through a signed statement provided for COUNTY affirming their non-discrimination policy conforms to R-2014-1421, as amended.

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 shall 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:

Vincent Bonvento, Director
Department of Public Safety
20 South Military Trail
West Palm Beach, FL 33415

With copy to:

Palm Beach County Attorney's Office
301 North Olive Ave.
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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

Jennifer Beckman, Executive Director
Palm Beach County Disaster Recovery Coalition, Inc.
50 South Military Trail, Suite 201
West Palm Beach, Florida 33415

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.

ARTICLE 29 - REGULATIONS; LICENSING REQUIREMENTS

The CONSULTANT shall comply with all laws, ordinances and regulations applicable to the services contemplated herein, to include 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 - SCRUTINIZED COMPANIES (when contract value is greater than \$1 million)

As provided in F.S. 287.135, 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 Scrutinized Companies With Activities in Sudan List or Scrutinized Companies With Activities in The Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List created pursuant to F.S. 215.473.

If the County determines, using credible information available to the public, that a false certification has been submitted by CONSULTANT, this Contract may be terminated and a civil penalty equal to the greater of \$2 million or twice the amount of this Contract shall be imposed, pursuant to F.S. 287.135.

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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 ENTITY has hereunto set its hand the day and year above written.

ATTEST:
SHARON R. BOCK
CLERK AND COMPTROLLER

PALM BEACH COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

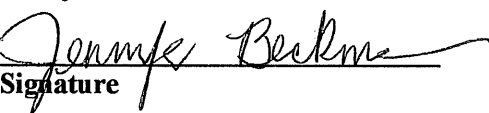
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Deputy Clerk

By: _____
Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

ENTITY:
Palm Beach County Disaster Recovery
Coalition, Inc.

By _____
County Attorney

Entity Name

Signature

Jennifer Beckman
Typed Name

APPROVED AS TO TERMS
AND CONDITIONS

Executive Director
Title

By 
Department Director

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SCOPE OF WORK

Disaster Recovery and Response

This Scope of Work defines the working relationship and partnership of each respective party (COUNTY AND ENTITY) in addressing and responding to the delivery of required actions and services in preparing and responding to a disaster impacting parts or all of Palm Beach County.

ENTITY Deliverables:

- Deliverable 1:**

Enter all previously collected Partner Resource Survey results signed by Faith-Based Organizations and Non-Profit Organizations identified in previous years within the first quarter of the contract performance period.
- Demonstration:

All Partner Resource Surveys include contact and disaster-related resource information utilizing the COUNTY's WebEOC® system Board.
- Due:

Within the first quarter of the contract performance period.
- Deliverable 2:**

Obtain twenty five (25) Partner Resource Surveys signed by Faith Based Organizations identified by the Emergency Operating Areas (EOA) to support disaster response and recovery efforts.
- Demonstration:

Hard copies and electronic formation of completed Partner Resource Surveys with Faith-Based Organization obtained within the contract performance period.
- Due:

Within the contract performance period.
- Deliverable 3:**

Obtain ten (10) Partner Resource Surveys signed by Non-Profit Organizations identified by the EOA's to support disaster response and recovery efforts.
- Demonstration:

Hard copies and electronic formation of completed Partner Resource Surveys with Non-Profit Organization obtained within the contract performance period.
- Due:

Within the contract performance period.

- Deliverable 4:** Conduct community-wide general disaster preparedness presentations with all levels of citizens utilizing COUNTY curriculum; a minimum of thirty (36) per year.
- Demonstration:** Submit copies of Invitations, Agendas and/or Sign-in Attendance Logs and COUNTY Community Outreach Satisfaction Surveys.
- Due:** Within the contract performance period.
- Deliverable 5:** Conduct two (2) community-wide training sessions approved by COUNTY for various case-management agencies on the Recovery case-management process.
- Demonstration:** Submit copies of training content, agendas and sign-in attendance logs.
- Due:** Within the contract performance period.
- Deliverable 6:** By serving as the Lead Agency for the Unmet Needs Unit, fulfill all responsibilities required of a lead agency as outlined in the COUNTY's Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (see pp. 31-32), including (a) coordination before, during , and after an incident, including pre-incident planning and participation in all COUNTY TEAM meetings; (b) maintain ongoing contact with all unit support agencies; (c) conduct periodic Unit/Emergency Support Function (ESF) meetings and conference calls to ensure operational readiness; (d) staff the Unit/ESF upon activation and ensure 24-hour staffing coverage based on level of activation; (e) maintain a roster of all lead agency contact persons, make necessary notifications, activate support agencies as necessary, and maintain ongoing communications to support mission assignments; (f) maintain a listing of available resources and support agencies; (g) develop, maintain, review, and exercise the Unit/ESF relevant policies and procedures to allow for the efficient and effective implementation of the Unit/ESF's mission – policies and procedures must be reviewed and updated on an annual basis, at a minimum, and the current version copy will be submitted to the COUNTY during the month of May of each year and whenever else the procedure is revised; (h) work with appropriate private-sector organizations to maximize use of all available resources; (i) support and keep other Unites/ESF's and organizational elements informed of the Unit/ESF's operational priorities and activities; (j) conduct situational and periodic readiness assessments at least quarterly; (k) maintain trained personnel to support interagency emergency response and support teams; and (l) identify new equipment or capabilities required to prevent or respond to new or emerging threats and hazards, or to improve the ability to address existing threats.

Demonstration: List in monthly reports all activities with date and topics. Include any agendas and sign-in logs.

Due: Within the contract performance period.

Deliverable 7: Working with community partners, identify, establish, and train ten (10) people to serve as a "Community Response Team" member for the COUNTY.

Demonstration: Provide a copy of training materials and team rosters at the time of submission to COUNTY Project Manager.

Due: Within the contract performance period.

Deliverable 8: Working with community partners, identify four (4) new non-County owned facilities to be used as Disaster Recovery Centers.

Demonstration: Provide copies of facility agreements and contact information for the use of facilities.

Due: Within the contract performance period.

Deliverable 9: Coordinate disaster response and repair in the event of a disaster occurring during the contract period. If during the contract period, no disaster occurs as approved by the COUNTY Emergency Management Director, this deliverable will not be applicable.

Demonstration: Copies of disaster needs assessments, response and repair reports.

Due: Within the contract performance period.

SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS

Unit of Service and Definition Unit = one hour	Number of Units of Service	Cost Per Unit of Service
Deliverable 1: Enter all previously collected Partner Resource Survey results signed by Faith-Based Organizations and Non-Profit Organizations identified in previous years within the first quarter of the contract performance period.	90	\$50.985
Deliverable 2: Obtain twenty five (25) Partner Resource Surveys signed by Faith Based Organizations identified by the EOA’s to support disaster response and recovery efforts.	1 survey = 2 hours 50	\$50.985
Deliverable 3: Obtain ten (10) Partner Resource Surveys signed by Non-Profit Organizations identified by the EOA’s to support disaster response and recovery efforts.	1 survey = 2 hours 20	\$50.985
Deliverable 4: Conduct community-wide general disaster preparedness presentations with all levels of citizens utilizing COUNTY curriculum; a minimum of thirty (36) per year.	1 presentation = 4 hours 144	\$50.985
Deliverable 5: Conduct two (2) community-wide training sessions approved by COUNTY for various case-management agencies on the Recovery case-management process.	1 training = 6 hours 12	\$50.985
Deliverable 6: By serving as the Lead Agency for the Unmet Needs Unit, fulfill all responsibilities required of a lead agency as outlined in the COUNTY’s Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (see pp. 31-32).	620	\$50.985
Deliverable 7: Working with community partners, identify, establish, and train ten (10) people to serve as a “Community Response Team” member for the County.	1 person = 4 hours 40	\$50.985

Deliverable 8: Working with community partners, identify four (4) new non-County owned facilities to be used as Disaster Recovery Centers.	1 facility = 6 hours 24	\$50.985
Deliverable 9: Coordinate disaster response and repair in the event of a disaster occurring during the contract period. If during the contract period, no disaster occurs as approved by the COUNTY Emergency Management Director, this deliverable will not be applicable.	0	\$50.985

Payments of invoices shall be contingent on timely receipt of monthly reports due to COUNTY Project Manager by 5:00 pm on the last business date of the month. Payment of invoices shall be contingent on timely receipt of all required reports. The COUNTY shall implement a five percent (5%) payment reduction for reports submitted between one (1) and five (5) business days after the due date for any given month, a ten percent (10%) payment reduction for reports submitted between six (6) and then (10) business days after the due date for any given month, and a ninety-five percent (95%) payment reduction for reports submitted after the tenth business day of the reported month.