

DISCUSS, CONSIDER, AND/OR APPROVE RATIFYING THE CONTRACT WITH DRC EMERGENCY SERVICES, LLC FOR DEBRIS REMOVAL AND FINDING THAT COMPETITIVE BIDDING IS NOT FEASIBLE BECAUSE AN EMERGENCY OR EXIGENCY EXISTS THAT COULD AFFECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE PUBLIC DUE TO HURRICANE NICHOLAS.



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

DEBRIS REMOVAL SERVICES

BACKGROUND:

The City sustained damages as a result of Hurricane Nicholas making landfall on September 13, 2021. The City took measure to immediately clear debris from the roadways following the storm. The City staff determined that the most efficient route would be to perform emergency procurement to remove unsafe debris piles immediately. In addition, this contractor specializes in these services and are accustomed with all federal requirements. The Contractor is ready and on standby for TCEQ approved disposal sites. The Contractor will honor the same competitive rates as provided to the County.

The City will begin competitive procurement and work to align the contract period with the County's to prepare for a future joint procurement opportunity for debris removal services.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

Variable Rates—reimbursable by FEMA if the City/County meet threshold. (Exhibit A)

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the Emergency Debris Removal Contract

ATTACHMENTS: Contract with DRS Emergency Services

Exhibit A (Vendor Rates) and Exhibit B (FEMA Contract Rider) will be handed out at meeting.