



**CITY COMMISSION
STAFF REPORT**

DEPARTMENT: Public Works

SUBJECT: Motion to approve assignment of contract from DBI Services, LLC d/b/a Aquagenix to Deangelo Contracting Services, LLC- d/b/a Aquagenix – **Public Works**

CITY MANAGER RECOMMENDATION:

City Manager recommends the Assignment of contract from DBI Services, LLC d/b/a Aquagenix to Deangelo Contracting Services, LLC- d/b/a Aquagenix.

BACKGROUND OF ITEM:

City Commission approved the first contract renewal of ITB-2018-4-PW, Retention Pond Maintenance with Aquagenix at the March 9, 2021 Commission Meeting. The City is very satisfied with the level of service Aquagenix has provided. City Attorney has reviewed the request of assignment to Deangelo Contracting Services, LLC- d/b/a Aquagenix and advised the City can proceed with assignment since a new EIN number has been established.

ANALYSIS:

There has been no services provided since October for the retention ponds. These areas require regular maintenance. Putting this service out to bid will potentially cause exotic invasives to take over the retention ponds. Continuing the excellent service Aquagenix has provided will benefit both the ponds and the aesthetics of City property.

STRATEGIC PLAN:

This item does support the goals and performance measures pertaining to the strategic plan.

FISCAL IMPACT:

At the September 23, 2021 Commission meeting, Commission approved funding in the FY22 budget for wetland maintenance of the City's five (5) wetland ponds. There is no additional fiscal impact with this action.

<u>General Ledger Acct. Number</u>	<u>Budgeted Amount</u>	<u>Requested Amount</u>	<u>Remaining Amount</u>
001-314-534311-572	\$11,000	\$11,000	

ALTERNATIVES:

The only alternative would be to put the wetland maintenance out to bid which would cause a deterioration of the wetland ponds and the potential takeover of invasive exotics resulting in a deterioration of the ponds.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Assignment agreement – Aquagenix to DeAngelo Contracting Services LLC (DCS)
2. Cooper City Solicitation
3. Cooper City Pricing Sheet and Tabulation
4. Vendor Compliance – DeAngelo Contracting Services
5. Agreement with Solitude and DBI Retention Ponds