

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-62

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ESCONDIDO, CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, A CONSULTING AGREEMENT WITH HINDERLITER, DELLAMAS & ASSOCIATES FOR SALES AND USE TAX, BUSINESS LICENSE TAX, AND TRANSIENT OCCUPANCY TAX ADMINISTRATION AND CONSULTING SERVICES

WHEREAS, the City of Escondido ("City") desires to engage the services of a qualified consultant to provide sales and use tax, business license, and transient occupancy tax ("TOT") Administration and Consulting services; and

WHEREAS, continuous monitoring, identification and correction of allocation errors and reporting deficiencies will help maximize tax revenues; and

WHEREAS, an effective review program can provide for more accurate budget forecasting and financial planning; and

WHEREAS, the City issued a Request for Proposal for revenue monitoring and consulting services; and

WHEREAS, the City received two timely responses to the Request for Proposal; and

WHEREAS, Hinderliter, DeLlomas & Associates was determined to be the most qualified consultant that provided the best value to the City; and

WHEREAS, this City Council desires at this time and deems it to be in the best public interest to approve said agreement which is attached and incorporated to this Resolution as Exhibit "A" with the Scope of Services as Exhibit "1" to Attachment "A" of Exhibit "A."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Escondido, California, as follows:

1. That the above recitations are true.
2. That the Mayor is authorized to execute, on behalf of the City, a Consulting Agreement with Hinderliter, DeLlamas & Associates for sales and use tax, business license, and transient occupancy tax ("TOT") Administration and Consulting services, which is attached and incorporated to this Resolution as Exhibit "A", and subject to final approval as to form by the City Attorney's Office.
3. That the City Manager retains the authority to approve amendments to the consulting agreement in an amount consistent with the Escondido Municipal Code.