MEETING TO INTERVIEW LAW FIRMS TO REPRESENT THE CITY IN NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH

MINUTES

Thursday, September 5, 2024 1:30PM

Committee members present at the meeting: Jamie Brown, Interim City Manager; Vaughn Hayduk, Interim Water Utility Director; Brian Shields, Former Water Utility Director; and Glen J. Torcivia, City Attorney.

The meeting was convened at 1:30 p.m. The following firms were interviewed:

- 1. Lewis, Longman & Walker, P.A., represented by Michelle Diffenderfer, Robert Diffenderfer, and Fred Aschauer
- 2. Akerman, LLP, represented by Philip Sprinkle, Silvia Alderman, and Tim Bramwell
- 3. Nason Yeager Gerson Harris & Fumero, P.A., represented by John Fumero

The Committee conducted interviews with each of the above three (3) firms, each of which provided a presentation and answered questions from members of the committee.

After the interviews were concluded, the Committee agreed to recommend that the City Commission retain the firm of Lewis, Longman & Walker, P.A. to represent the City in negotiations with the Town of Palm Beach for the supply of potable water to the Town.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:35 p.m.

Glen J. Torcivia, Esquire

City Attorney