

STAFF REPORT WORKSHOP

AGENDA DATE: October 22, 2024

DEPARTMENT: City Manager

TITLE:

Discussion regarding legislative asks for FY 25 for Akerman, LLP and Capital City Consulting, LLC for lobbying services

SUMMARY:

Discussion regarding legislative asks for FY 25 for Akerman, LLP and Capital City Consulting, LLC for lobbying services for the City of Lake Worth Beach

BACKGROUND AND JUSTIFICATION:

The City requested proposals from qualified and experienced firms to provide lobbying and intergovernmental consultant services in accordance with the highest legal, ethical, and professional standards. The services include a full range of professional lobbying services and advocacy before the Florida Legislature, the Governor, the Cabinet, and executive departments, agencies, offices, commissions, and other governmental units of the State of Florida with respect to all matters contained within the City's State legislative agenda, assigned executive branch projects, and other issues or projects of the City.

Proposals submitted by Akerman, LLP and Capital City Consulting, LLC were the highest scoring responsive and responsible respondents and the City awarded them agreement on October 15, 2024.

The City is seeking input and comment from the Commission to provide consensus and direction for the legislative requests for FY 25 for the lobbying service providers.

MOTION:

Provide consensus, direction and feedback on the legislative asks for FY 2025 for the lobbying services providers.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Fiscal Impact Analysis – N/A
Agreement with Akerman, LLP
Agreement with Capital City Consulting, LLC