

TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-77

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH KIEL TREE SERVICE, INC. TO PROVIDE TREE REMOVAL SERVICES TO THE TOWN AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town is in need of tree removal services throughout the Town; and

WHEREAS, on March 5, 2024, Town Council adopted Resolution No. 2024-11, approving the issuance of purchase orders to Kiel Tree Service, Inc. for certain tree removal services based on competitive quotes received; and

WHEREAS, the Town has been satisfied with the pricing and services provided by Kiel Tree Service, Inc. and would like to enter a multi-year contract; and

WHEREAS, given that the use and timing of the need for tree removal services is difficult to quantify, it is unlikely that a competitive selection process would provide the Town with better prices; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2-133(b)(12) of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves Code of Ordinances, the Town Council, by at least a four-fifths affirmative vote, has determined that the sealed competitive method or obtaining quotes for this service is not in the best interest of the Town; and,

WHEREAS, the Town has determined the Agreement serves a valid public purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA:

Section 1. The foregoing "Whereas" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution upon adoption hereof.

Section 2. The Town Council of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves, Florida hereby approves the Agreement for Goods and Services with Kiel Tree Service, Inc.

Section 3. This Resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

Councilmember _____ offered the foregoing resolution. Councilmember seconded the motion, and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

ADOPTED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, THIS 12th DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2024.

ATTEST:

Town Clerk

Voted:
Mayor Anita Kane, Seat 3

Voted:
Vice Mayor Margaret Herzog, Seat 5

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

Office of the Town Attorney

Voted:
Councilmember Phillis Maniglia, Seat 1

Voted:
Councilmember Laura Danowski, Seat 2

Voted:
Councilmember Robert Shorr, Seat 4