

RESOLUTION NO. 25R-09-194

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL,
FLORIDA, AWARDING RFP 2025-044 – FORENSIC ACCOUNTING SERVICES TO
_____ TO CONDUCT A FORENSIC AUDIT OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED
TO THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL BY U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES (“HHS”) BASED ON A REPORT ISSUED BY THE CITY MANAGER TO
ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE GRANTS, POLICIES
AND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL; AUTHORIZING
THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE SELECTED
CONSULTANT; FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY
ATTORNEY WITH THE AUTHORITY TO DO ALL THINGS NECESSARY TO
EFFECTUATE THIS RESOLUTION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE
(REQUESTED BY CITY MANAGER KENNIE HOBBS, JR.).**

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Lauderhill has a fiduciary duty as a grant recipient to ensure that all grant funds awarded to the City are managed properly to comply with the grant requirements, policies, and Code of Ordinances of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Lauderhill must ensure that grant funds are used by subrecipients consistent with the grant requirements, policies, and Code of Ordinances of the City; and

WHEREAS, in April 2025, via Resolution No. 25R-04-88, the City Commission authorized the City Manager to retain a Financial Expert or Consultant to conduct a forensic audit of grants awarded to the City of Lauderhill by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (“HHS”) based on a report issued by the City Manager to ensure compliance with the requirements of the grants, policies, and Code of Ordinances of the City of Lauderhill; and the use of grant funds by subrecipients; and

WHEREAS, the City staff issued an RFP for said services and thirteen proposals were received which were evaluated and ranked by the evaluation committee; and

WHEREAS, the evaluation committee shortlisted the proposals and the top five are being presented to the City Commission for its review and final selection.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LAUDERHILL, THAT:

SECTION 1. The above recitals are true and incorporated herein.

SECTION 2. The City Commission hereby awards RFP 2025-44 – Forensic Accounting Services to _____ and authorizes the City Manager to execute an agreement with the selected consultant to conduct a forensic audit of grants, as more specifically set forth in Resolution No.

25R-04-88.

SECTION 3. The City Manager and City Attorney are authorized to do all things necessary to effectuate this Resolution.

SECTION 4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2025.

DENISE D. GRANT, MAYOR
PRESIDING OFFICER

ATTEST:

ANDREA M. ANDERSON, MMC
CITY CLERK

MOTION _____
SECOND _____

R. CAMPBELL _____
M. DUNN _____
D. GRANT _____
J. HODGSON _____
S. MARTIN _____

Approved as to Form

Hans Ottinot
City Attorney