

RESOLUTION 18-55

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARCO ISLAND, FLORIDA AUTHORIZING THE INTERIM CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A TWO-YEAR CONTRACT EXTENSION WITH RONALD L. BOOK, P.A. FOR PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING AND LOBBYING SERVICES BEFORE THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Marco Island (the "City") recognizes the importance of monitoring and participating in the State legislative process in order to protect and represent the interests of the City and its residents; and

WHEREAS, the current Contract with the firm of Ronald L. Book, P.A. (the "Consultant"), was approved by the City Council on August 4, 2014 (Resolution 14-32);

WHEREAS, the said Contract with the Consultant was extended for an additional two-years term by the City Council on October 17, 2016 (Resolution 16-85);

WHEREAS, the Consultant wishes to continue providing professional legislative consulting and lobbying services before the legislature of the State of Florida, the executive branch of the Florida government, and various regional and local governments on behalf of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Marco Island, Florida that:

Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein.

Section 2. The City Manager is authorized to execute an additional two-year contract extension with the firm of Ronald L. Book, P.A. for professional consulting and lobbying services for an annual amount not to exceed \$60,000.

Section 3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARCO ISLAND, FLORIDA, THIS 6TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2018.

ATTEST:

CITY OF MARCO ISLAND, FLORIDA

Laura M. Litzan, City Clerk

By: _____
Jared Grifoni, Chairman

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Alan L. Gabriel, City Attorney