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City of Plantation  
City Council Chambers

**Subject:**

Agreement No. 065-25; Independence Day Fireworks- Term Agreement

**Summary:**

Requesting authorization and approval of the following:

- Authorization and approval to execute an Agreement (see attached) between the City of Plantation and Zambelli Fireworks MFG. Co. for "Independence Day Fireworks" in accordance with RFIP No. 065-25 for a term of two (2) years.
- Authorization and approval to issue purchase order(s)/task order(s) and process payments to Zambelli Fireworks MFG. Co. for services described and in accordance with the attached agreement (065-25).

**Procurement:**

The City publicly solicited for qualified Firms pursuant to Sec. 2-226(b) of the City's Code, for "Independence Day Fireworks" (RFIP No. 065-25). On October 14, 2025, the City received one (1) proposal. The RFIP was advertised/posted on the Demand Star website for thirty-nine (39) calendar days. This solicitation was broadcasted to 135 suppliers/firms and had eleven (11) Planholders.

The Procurement Department performed a review of the bid submittal to ascertain if it was responsive. The sole bid received was determined to be responsive and was subsequently approved for Selection Committee review and scoring /ranking. The Selection Committee held a public meeting on January 20, 2026 @2:00pm to discuss and potentially score the submitted proposal pursuant to the advertised evaluation criteria.

Below you will find the total score of each Selection Committee member provided during the January 20, 2026, Selection Committee meeting.

FIRM	Zambelli Fireworks
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TOTAL SCORE	285
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Selection Committee members were as follows:

- Will Bacon, Fire Department
- Monika Knapp, Library
- Shannon Ryan, Parks and Recreation

Attached you will find the following documentation for your review:

- The original advised solicitation (RFIP)
- The proposal submitted by the Firm
- The Agreement executed by the highest scored Firm (Zambelli Fireworks MFG. Co.) agreeing to the terms, conditions, scope of services and rates/fees of the RFIP.

Based on the forgoing information Procurement and Parks & Recreation Departments requests authorization and approval of the following:

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#### **Background:**

#### **Strategic Priorities: Safe and Secure, Balance Progress w/ Traditions.**

This service will provide the City's annual Independence Day fireworks. The fireworks are not only a Plantation tradition but a national one. They are the conclusion of a fun-filled day for the whole family, including a parade, concert, and children's fun zone. The fireworks show will be 20 minutes in length and include an opening barrage, main show, and finale.

This item is now ready for City Council consideration.

#### **Funding:**

001-7502-572-4810 Special Events-July 4th.

#### **Amount:**

Description	Project Budgeted Amount
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To Furnish and Deliver all materials and perform all work in accordance with RFIP No. 065-25 for the Project entitled "Independence Day Fireworks" within the CITY's budgeted amount. **\$45,000.00 (Per year)**

What is the rainout price/cost? **\$22,500.00**

Alternate fees for rescheduling for a later date (If show is rained out) **\$9,000.00**

**Finance Director/Budget Manager Recommendation:**

The Recreation Department budgeted \$45,000 in FY2026 for the Independence Day Fireworks.

**Prepared By:**

Charles Spencer

**ATTACHMENTS:**

[Advertised Solicitation with Addendum.pdf](#)

[Assembled Agreement\\_Signed Firm.pdf](#)

[Zambelli Bid Submittal.PDF](#)