

RESOLUTION NO. 2020 - 330

A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR, OR DESIGNEE, TO AWARD RFP NO: 20-62 AND TO EXECUTE AGREEMENTS FOR SECURITY GUARD SERVICES.

RECITALS

**WHEREAS**, the County desires to enter into a contract with Giddens Security Corporation to provide security guard services at County facilities; in accordance with RFP No. 20-62; and

**WHEREAS**, the scope of the services will be to provide security guard services, including, but not limited to, armed and/or unarmed patrolling of grounds at County facilities, operating and monitoring of x-ray screening and weapon detection devices, monitoring of security cameras and alarm systems, coordinating with governmental security team, interacting with patrons and staff in County buildings, and assisting the County to ensure an overall safe and secure environment at any and all facilities where the services are provided, in accordance with RFP No. 20-62; and

**WHEREAS**, through the County's formal RFP process, Giddens Security Corporation was the top responsive, responding firm; and

**WHEREAS**, the County has reviewed the terms, provisions, conditions and requirements of the proposed contract (attached hereto, an incorporated herein) and finds that entering into contract to complete the work services serves a public purpose.

**WHEREAS**, the contract will be finalized after negotiations but will be in substantial conformance with the attached draft contract.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA**, as follows:

Section 1. The above Recitals are incorporated by reference into the body of this Resolution and such Recitals are adopted as finds of fact.

Section 2. The County Administrator, or designee, is hereby authorized to conduct negotiations with Giddens Security Corporation, and upon successful negotiations, award a contract to provide the services set forth therein.

Section 3. Upon successful negotiations, the County Administrator, or designee, is further authorized to execute agreements in substantially the same form and format as the attached draft on behalf of the County to provide the scope of services as specifically provided in RFP 20-62.

Section 4. To the extent that there are typographical and/or administrative errors that do not change the tone, tenor, or concept of this Resolution, then this Resolution may be revised without subsequent approval by the Board of County Commissioners.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of September, 2020.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF  
ST. JOHNS COUNTY, FLORIDA**

By: [Signature]  
Jeb S. Smith, Chair

**ATTEST:** Brandon J. Patty, Clerk  
Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller

By: [Signature]  
Deputy Clerk

RENDITION DATE 9-3-2020

