# INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Jason E. Brown, County Administrator

**THROUGH:** Richard B. Szpyrka P.E., Public Works Director

FROM: Keith McCully, P.E., Stormwater Engineer

**SUBJECT:** Approval of Work Order No. 5 with GK Environmental, Inc. for Osprey Acres

Floway and Nature Preserve Nine-Month Plant Maintenance, Exotic Control,

and Plant Replacement

**DATE:** February 10, 2020

## **DESCRIPTION AND CONDITIONS**

Construction of Osprey Acres Floway and Nature Preserve (Osprey Acres) is complete. As part of the construction contract closeout process with contractor West Construction, Inc., Part B of the construction contract and a subsequent addition that increased Part B's scope, were deleted through Work Change Directives. Part B of the construction contract and the subsequent scope addition were for landscape maintenance and exotic control of the developed site (less Shallow Marsh 2) and would have amounted to a fee of \$41,142.94 over a nine-month contract period. GK Environmental, Inc. has submitted a fee, under their continuing services agreement 2017053, for providing identical landscape maintenance and exotic control services for \$25,650 over the nine-month period. GK Environmental, Inc. is currently providing similar services for Shallow Marsh 2 in Osprey Acres.

### **FUNDING**

Funding in the amount of \$25,650 for the proposed Work Order No. 5 is budgeted and available in Transportation Fund/Stormwater/Other Contractual Services-Osprey Acres, Acct# 11128138-033490-16022.

#### RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Board approve Work Order No. 5, executed by GK Environmental, Inc. and authorize the Chairman to execute it on behalf of the County.

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

Work Order No. 5 Exhibit A to Work Order No. 5

#### APPROVED AGENDA ITEM FOR FEBRUARY 18, 2020