CITY OF HIALEAH

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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS

The City of Hialeah ("City") is issuing a Request for Qualifications ("RFQ" or "Solicitation") because the City wishes to receive Statements of Qualifications ("SOQs") from companies that are willing and qualified to provide solid waste collection services to the City. All such companies should submit their SOQs to the City in compliance with the requirements in the RFQ. Companies that are deemed to be qualified pursuant to the RFQ will be allowed to submit proposals in response to a Request for Proposals ("RFP") that the City intends to issue in the near future. The City does not intend to accept proposals from companies that are not deemed to be qualified under the RFQ.

Sealed SOQs submitted in response to this Request for Qualifications for Solid Waste Collection Services will only be received by the City Clerk of the City of Hialeah, in the City Clerk's office on the 3rd Floor of City Hall (located at 501 Palm Avenue, Hialeah, Florida), **until 11:00 A.M., Tuesday, September 5, 2014,** at which time the submittals will be opened by the City Clerk in the 3rd Floor Conference Room in City Hall, when the Bidders' names will be announced, The SOQs will then be delivered to the Department of Public Works for review and handling. The deadline for submitting written questions, comments, and requests for clarification concerning this RFQ shall be **2:00 P.M.** on **Friday, August 22, 2014.**

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SERVICES
RFQ NO. 2013/14-9500-00-008

Affidavits, forms and the text of the RFQ may be obtained at the Purchasing Office, City Hall, 501 Palm Avenue, 4th Floor, Hialeah, Florida.

Each SOQ shall be submitted in a sealed envelope. The outside of each sealed envelope must clearly indicate: the name and number of this RFQ (RFQ for Solid Waste Collection Services; RFQ No. 2013-14-9500-00-008); the Bidder's name and address; and the name and telephone number of the Bidder's contact person.

A Bidder may withdraw, modify, or correct a SOQ that has been submitted to the City, but only prior to the deadline for filing a SOQ.

Each Bidder should carefully review the entire RFQ before submitting a SOQ. The RFQ contains a more comprehensive statement of the City's rights and the Bidders' obligations under the RFQ. Among other things, the City reserves its right to: reject any or all SOQ's, with or without cause; waive minor irregularities with regard to the Solicitation requirements and the SOQs received; and ultimately award the City's contract to the Bidder that is deemed to be responsible, responsive, and providing the best overall value to the City.

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Angel Ayala
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August 5, 2014