



Cover Memorandum/Staff Report

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TO: Mayor and Commissioners
FROM: Ronald L. Martin, Fire Chief
THROUGH: Terrence R. Moore, ICMA-CM
DATE: December 10, 2024

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NUMBER 252-24 APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING UNIVERSAL PROTECTIVE SERVICE, LLC, DBA ALLIED UNIVERSAL SECURITY FOR THE PURPOSE FOR ESTABLISHING DISPATCH PROTOCOLS.

Recommended Action:

Motion to Approve resolution No. 252-24 approving a Memorandum of Understanding with Universal Protective Services, LLC dba Allied Universal Security to allow that company to provide basic and advanced life support medical services to the residents of Delaire Country Club prior to the arrival of Delray Beach Fire Rescue units. The department is also requesting approval from the City Commission to terminate the contract with Cambridge Security in accordance with the termination clause in the agreement and to execute the letter attached to this agenda item.

Background:

Delaire Country Club is a gated community located in the southwestern portion of the city. Delaire currently contracts with Cambridge Security to provide private security and initial medical response to their residents. Delaire Country Club has decided to contract Allied Universal Security for these services and to terminate the agreement with Cambridge Security as of January 29, 2025.

Allied Universal Security has requested to enter into an agreement, allowing their personnel to provide basic and advanced medical procedures prior to the arrival of Delray Beach Fire Rescue units.

This agreement provides a clear delineation of the services that Allied Universal Security can provide prior to the city's Fire Rescue personnel arriving. This relationship will ensure a continuity of care for the residents of Delaire Country Club and allow Allied Universal Security to apply for a special secondary Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (COPCN) from the Palm Beach Board of County Commissioners.

City Attorney Review:

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency.

Funding Source/Financial Impact:

There is no financial impact to the City of Delray Beach. Universal Protective Service, LLC, DBA Allied Universal Security retains the responsibility for liability insurance and other expenses that are part of their services.

Timing of Request:

There is no time sensitivity to this request.