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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

IN RE:	§	
	§	CASE NO. 18-60018
Garden Oaks Maintenance Org., Inc.	§	
	§	
	§	CHAPTER 7
Debtor	§	

ORDER GRANTING EMPLOYMENT OF SPECIAL COUNSEL

(Docket No. 147)

The Court has considered the Trustee’s Application to Employ Special Counsel by the Chapter 7 Trustee (the “Application”). In approving the employment of Walker & Patterson, P.C. (“W&P”) as Special Counsel for the Chapter 7 Trustee, the Court makes the following findings of fact and conclusions of law:

1. Employment of W&P is in the best interest of the estate.
2. W&P does not hold or represent any interest that is adverse to the Debtor, Trustee or the estate.
3. As required by FED. R. BANKR. P. 2014(a), the Trustee has demonstrated the necessity for employing W&P.
4. As required by FED. R. BANKR. P. 2014(a), the Trustee has identified the name of the attorney it wishes to hire.
5. As required by FED. R. BANKR. P. 2014(a), the Trustee has specified reasons for selecting W&P.
6. As required by FED. R. BANKR. P. 2014(a), the Trustee has specified the specific professional services which it anticipates W&P will provide.
7. As required by FED. R. BANKR. P. 2014(a), the Trustee has specified the fee arrangement proposed by W&P.

8. As required by FED. R. BANKR. P. 2014(a), W&P has no connections with the creditors or any other party in interest that would bar employment; however, W&P served as counsel to the Debtor during the chapter 11.
9. The employment of W&P is in the best interest of the estate.

It is therefore

ORDERED THAT:

1. The Application is GRANTED;
2. W&P is employed to provide all necessary legal services to the Trustee as set forth in the Application, on an hourly basis;
3. Johnie Patterson is designated as the attorney-in-charge for the representation by Walker & Patterson, P.C. of the Trustee in this case;
4. All applications for compensation shall be filed with the Court in accordance with the Bankruptcy Code, the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the rules of this Court.
5. All requests for compensation are subject to review and approval by the Court, after notice and opportunity for hearing.

Signed: September 16, 2019



DAVID R. JONES
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE