



Township Council
1 Municipal Plaza
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Louise M. Palagano
Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 11/28/22 07:00 PM

2022 RESOLUTION AWARD OF CONTRACT

2022 RESOLUTION EMERGENCY REPAIR AUTHORIZATION

WHEREAS, on August 29, 2022, the Bloomfield Water Department attempted to evaluate and assess a repair on an 8-inch watermain that spans the Second River in the vicinity of Walnut Street and Newark Avenue.; and

WHEREAS, this section of watermain has been out of service for approximately two years and there was an opportunity to make a repair at this time and restore better potable water circulation at this area. This section of main has been shut down during this period; and

WHEREAS, during operation of a valve on Newark Avenue, due to its age, it became damaged and began to leak at a high rate. Furthermore, it was not in a fully closed position and was resulting in a second leak at the previously shut down 8-inch main over the Second River; and

WHEREAS, the repair of this valve became critical and determined to be an emergency situation in that if it continued to leak it would undermine Newark Avenue as well as result in the potential for a complete rupture of the 8-inch main over the Second River; and

WHEREAS, the repair would require the installation of a 6-inch insertion valve on Newark Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the Engineering Department called upon Carner Brothers of Roseland, NJ, who specialize in the installation of insertion valves which require a particular expertise; and;

WHEREAS, the work commenced on August 30th and included the following:

- Excavation of the roadway.

- Installation of a new 6-inch insertion Valve
 - Backfill and restoration of the roadway, including 3 tons of hot asphalt pavement
- and;

WHEREAS, the total cost of the work was \$32,081.51; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds to pay the contract in capital account W-06-55-594-001; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A: 11-6 and the Township Code, the approval of the Council of the Township of Bloomfield is required in order to make payment to the vendors, for the contract price of the Services;

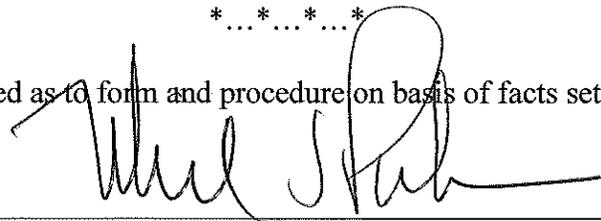
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BLOOMFIELD:

1. That payment to the vendor be made part hereof, of the contract prices for the Emergency Repairs in the vicinity of Walnut Street and Newark Avenue in the aggregate amount not to exceed \$32,081.51 are hereby approved.
2. The work be considered an emergency based upon the circumstances described above.
3. That said payment represents the total cost of the work.

That the Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield forward two (2) certified copies of this resolution to the Chief Financial Officer and one copy to the Township Engineer.

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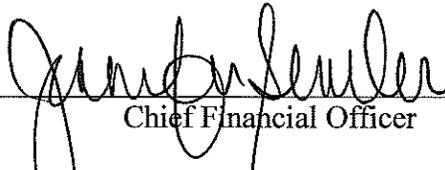
Approved as to form and procedure on basis of facts set forth.



Director of Law-Township Attorney

I do hereby certify that the funding will be legally appropriated per the above information for the purpose specified in the attached contract. Furthermore, it has been represented to me that

the contracts have been processed in accordance with the applicable provisions of New Jersey Local Public Contract Law and the Code of the Township of Bloomfield.


 Chief Financial Officer

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly adopted by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield at a meeting of said Township Council held on November 28, 2022.


 Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield


 Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

✓ Vote Record – Resolution						
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