



Township Council
1 Municipal Plaza
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Louise M. Palagano
Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 08/12/24 06:30 PM

2024 RESOLUTION AWARD OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

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**2024 RESOLUTION - AWARD OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES - LEAD SERVICE
LINE IDENTIFICATION & REPLACEMENT**

WHEREAS, the Township Of Bloomfield Engineering Department requires consulting services for design and construction administration services for exploratory work to identify the locations and replacement of lead service lines within the water distribution system of the Township of Bloomfield; and

WHEREAS, this work has been determined by the Township Engineer and Licensed Water Operator to be necessary and beneficial to identify and locate lead service lines within the Bloomfield Water System so that they can be removed and replaced with copper piping; and

WHEREAS, this work is required to be performed as part of the Township's Asset Management Plan and Corrective Action Plan on file and approved by the NJDEP to properly remove and mitigate for the presence of lead within the Bloomfield Water Distribution system; and

WHEREAS, T & M Associates, 1455 Broad Street, Suite 250, Bloomfield, NJ 07003 (hereinafter "the Consultant") was previously awarded a contract by the Township of Bloomfield to provide General Engineering Services for this type of work in 2021; and

WHEREAS, the consultant has provided a proposal to provide consulting services for design and construction administration to identify and replace lead service connections where needed at over 1,800 locations in the amount of \$238,475.00; and

WHEREAS, the Bloomfield Township Engineer has determined that these services are necessary and beneficial to maintain proper drinking water quality; and

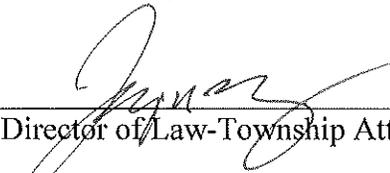
WHEREAS, the Bloomfield Township Engineer further recommends that these services be awarded to the consultant at a cost not to exceed \$238,475.00 under their current 2021 General Engineering Services Contract; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Finance has indicated that funding is available in Township Account Number W-06-55-592-500.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield, County of Essex, State of New Jersey hereby accept the recommendation of the Bloomfield Township Engineer and the Consultant is hereby authorized to perform the above work at a cost not to exceed \$238,475.00.

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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 August 12, 2024.



Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield



Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

✓ Vote Record – Resolution					
		Yes/Aye	No/Nay	Abstain	Absent
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<input type="checkbox"/> Approve	Monica Charris Tabares	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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