

**Township Council**

1 Municipal Plaza  
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

**Louise M. Palagano**

*Municipal Clerk*

<http://www.bloomfieldtwpnj.com>

Meeting: 02/06/12 07:00 PM

**2012 RESOLUTION AWARD OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

**AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT  
PURSUANT TO THE FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS FOR A PART-  
TIME FORESTRY CONSULTANT**

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Bloomfield requires the services of a part-time Forestry Consultant and has advertised the need for this professional service on the Township of Bloomfield's website as part of the fair and open process pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township Engineer has certified that the value of the service will exceed \$17,500; and

**WHEREAS**, the term of this contract is one year and will end on December 31, 2012; and

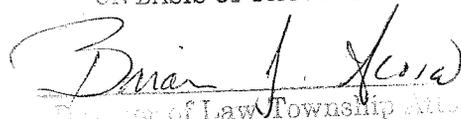
**WHEREAS**, First Mountain Arboriculture, LLC., Stephen Schuckman, 37 Oak Road, Caldwell, NJ (hereinafter "Professional") has submitted the attached proposal indicating he will provide the services for a standard hourly rate of \$75 per hour; an emergency call or weekend/holydays a rate of \$100.00 per hour; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Council approve entering into an agreement with the Professional based upon their response; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Finance has certified that funds are available to cover the cost of these services.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield authorizes and directs the Township Administrator to enter into a contract/retainer agreement with the Professional within 10 days as described herein; and

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND PROCEDURE  
ON BASIS OF FACTS SET FORTH

  
Brian J. Xosha  
Director of Law/Township Administrator

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this contract/retainer agreement is entered into in accordance with the Standardized Submission Requirements for Professional Services and no minimum payment is implied or guaranteed; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that all of the terms contained in the Standardized Submission Requirements for Professional Services are incorporated into the Professional's contract/retainer unless specifically excluded; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that in accordance with Standardized Submission Requirements the Township reserves the right to cancel this contract upon thirty (30) days notice and the Professional shall only be paid for the work completed or on a pro-rated amount if the contract calls for a monthly retainer; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Professional's response to the request for Professional Services shall be placed on file with this resolution and a copy of the contract/retainer agreement entered into; and

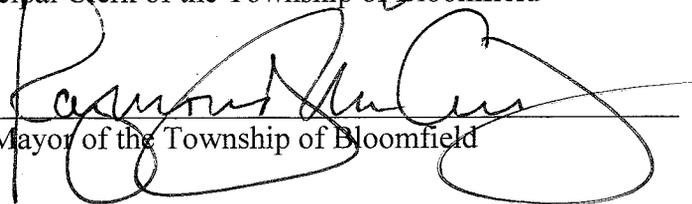
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the contract should incorporate the terms and conditions contained in Professional's response to the request for Professional Services.

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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 February 06, 2012.



Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield



Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

✓ <b>Vote Record - Resolution 1410</b>						
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**ATTACHMENTS:**

- prof serv bid list (PDF)