



Township Council
1 Municipal Plaza
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Louise M. Palagano
Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 05/24/21 07:00 PM

2021 RESOLUTION AWARD OF CONTRACT

RESOLUTION: EMERGENCY SANITARY SEWER AND MANHOLE REPLACEMENT

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2021 the Bloomfield Department of Public Works and Parks received an emergency call indicating that sewage was surcharging a manhole at the intersection of North 17th Street and Bloomfield Avenue risking the discharge of raw sanitary sewage onto the roadway surface and adjacent properties. Upon arrival of personnel from the Public Works Sewer Department, it was determined that the manhole at this location had failed, preventing for the proper flow of sewage within the sewer main. The crew attempted to clear the blockage using the sewer jet/vactor truck but was unsuccessful. It was noted that the truck was unable to properly access the manhole due to a partial collapse; and

WHEREAS, the determination was made by the Public Works Department and confirmed by the Bloomfield Engineering Department that an outside utility contractor was required to excavate, clear the sewer main and install a new pre-cast manhole; and

WHEREAS, Carner Brothers, 10 Steele Court, Roseland, New Jersey 07068 (the Vendor) was able to immediately answer the emergency call and subsequently dispatched a crew to make an emergency repair; and

WHEREAS, the vendor was able to immediately set up a by-pass pump to temporarily alleviate the sewer back-up by diverting the sewer flow to another manhole.

WHEREAS, the emergency work commenced on March 19, 2021 and was substantially completed on March 25, 2021. Aspects of the work included:

- Continued bypass pumping of the sanitary sewage to maintain flow and allow for the removal and replacement of the manhole.
- Traffic control, saw cutting, trench bracing and excavation to allow for removal of the manhole.
- Installation of a new pre-cast concrete manhole and 13 linear feet of new, 8" sanitary sewer line.
- Backfill and restoration of the excavation, including asphalt surface course, in accordance to Essex County Design Standards.
- All necessary manpower, equipment and materials to perform the repair.

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- The work also included bracing and sheeting to avoid damaging existing utilities in the vicinity of the construction to properly maintain service of these facilities; and

WHEREAS, the final cost of the emergency work was \$85,183.81; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds to pay the contract in capital account C-04-55-732-003; and

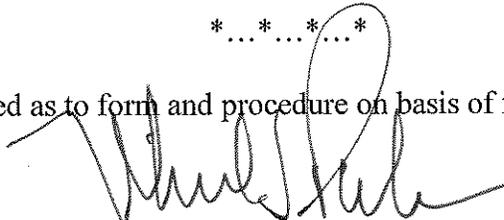
WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A: 11-6 and the Township Code, the approval of the Council of the Township of Bloomfield is required in order to make payment to the vendors, for the contract price of the Services;

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 at the intersection of North 17th Street and Bloomfield Avenue in the aggregate amount not to exceed \$85,183.81 are hereby approved.
2. That this work be designated an emergency based upon the recommendation of the Township Engineer.
3. That said payment represents the total cost of the work.
4. 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.



Acting 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 May 24, 2021.

Louise M. Calogera

 Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield

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 Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

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