

**TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE
RESOLUTION R-21-043A**

**AWARDING A CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL PLANNING SERVICES FOR
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER Term: January 19, 2021 – December 1, 2021
AMENDED FROM THE FLOOR TO VOTE ON INDIVIDUAL OUTSIDE VENDORS**

WHEREAS, there exists a need for an Engineer for the Township of Hillside, and

WHEREAS, qualification statements have been solicited via a Fair and Open Process through the annual issuance of a Request for Proposal (“RFP”) for certain professional services which was returnable on December 11, 2020 in accordance with the “New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law”, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1, et seq.; and

WHEREAS, The Township desires to be proactive in considering planning and development issues such as evaluating and updating Master Plan documents, revising corresponding Township ordinances and other Township planning initiatives; and

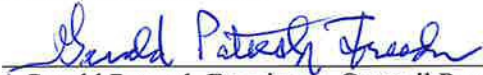
WHEREAS, the following entities submitted a proposal for these services:

- a. **Harbor Consultants** (320 North Avenue East, Cranford, NJ 07016) (“Harbor”) MOTIONED BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT FREEDMAN; SECONDED BY COUNCIL VICE PRESIDENT COOK III; ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS VOTED IN THE AFFIRMATIVE EXCEPT MOBLEY WHO WAS EXCUSED.
- b. **Remington Vernick Engineers** (One Harmon Plaza, Secaucus, NJ 07094) (“Remington”) MOTIONED BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT FREEDMAN; SECONDED BY COUNCIL VICE PRESIDENT COOK III; ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS VOTED NAY EXCEPT HYATT WHO VOTED YEA. MOBLEY WAS EXCUSED. **MOTION FAILS**

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HILLSIDE THAT:

- 1. **Harbor Consultants** (320 North Avenue East, Cranford, NJ 07016) (“Harbor”) is hereby awarded a contract in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00 effective upon execution of a contract for said services and shall end on December 31, 2021.
- 2. This contract is awarded in accordance with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5 et seq. subject to the attached certification of funds in an amount of \$5,000.00 in accordance with the Township’s Temporary Budget.

Upon adoption of the Final Township Budget and availability of funds therein, this Resolution shall be amended to reflect an additional certification of funds in the amount of \$45,000.00.
- 3. The Acting Township Attorney is hereby directed to prepare and furnish to the entity named in Section 1, a Contract in accordance with the RFP and this Resolution; and
- 4. The Mayor is hereby authorized to examine and execute said Contract.


Gerald Pateesh Freedman, Council President

ATTEST:

I, Beverly Harris, Acting Township Clerk of the Township of Hillside, County of Union, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that this is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Council at a meeting held on January 19, 2021.


Beverly Harris, Acting Township Clerk

MOTION	SECOND	NAME	YEAS	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	EXCUSED
X		DeAugustine	X				
		Epps	X				
		Hyatt			X		
		Mobley					X
		Mondella	X				
	X	Cook, VP	X				
		Freedman, CP	X				