

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXTENSION OF UTILIZATION OF THE CONTRACT FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL AND SCHOOL FLASHER EMERGENCY RESPONSE AND SIGNAL MODIFICATIONS AND MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRIC SERVICE WITH AN OPTION FOR MAINTENANCE AND INSPECTION UNDER THE CHERRY HILL COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEM IDENTIFIER #37-CHCPS

WHEREAS, the Township of Pennsauken is in need of Traffic Signal and School Flasher Emergency Response and Signal Modifications with an option for Maintenance and Inspection to ensure the safe operation of the Township's traffic signal system equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Township by Resolution 2022:449 became a member of a cooperative contract with Cherry Hill Township serving as the lead agency to secure a contract for Traffic Signal and School Flasher Emergency Response and Signal Modifications and Miscellaneous Electric Service with an Option for Maintenance and Inspection under Cherry Hill Cooperative Pricing System – Identifier #37-CHCPS; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Cherry Hill Township Resolution 2022-10-19, Techna-Pro Electric, LLC (Techna-Pro), 100 Pike Road, Bldg. B-1, Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054 was awarded a one (1) year contract with two (2) one (1) year renewals at the same terms, conditions, and pricing upon mutual written consent of Cherry Hill Township and Techna-Pro; and

WHEREAS, the Cherry Hill Township evaluation committee assessed the past services received; and

WHEREAS, by mutual written consent between Cherry Hill Township and Techna-Pro Electric, LLC have agreed to extend the contract under the same terms, conditions, and pricing for the first one (1) year renewal period commencing November 3, 2023 to November 2, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer recommends to Township of Pennsauken's continuing participation in the cooperative contract in order to satisfy the Township's above-elaborated needs; and

WHEREAS, as a participating member of the cooperative, the Township Committee is required to pass a resolution approving continued participation in the cooperative pursuant to the conditions of the bid in accordance with applicable law for material (Base Bid) and Maintenance and Inspections (Option #1), if and when needed, in addition to applicable prevailing wage rates; and

WHEREAS, said resolution approving continued participation shall be forwarded to Cherry Hill Township and Techna-Pro Electric, LLC; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Cooperative Pricing Agreement, The Township of Pennsauken hereby requests continued participation in the Traffic Signal and School Flasher Emergency Response and Signal Modifications and Miscellaneous Electric Service with an Option for Maintenance and Inspection under the Cherry Hill Cooperative Pricing System Identifier #37-CHCPS described in the Cherry Hill Township master contract; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Pennsauken acknowledges that it has received and reviewed the Agreement in its entirety, and agrees to be bound by its promises, covenants, terms and conditions as well as by any rules and regulation duly promulgated by the Lead Agency (Township of Cherry Hill) and the members of the Cooperative Pricing System; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Pennsauken shall likewise be entitled to all the rights and benefits of a member of the Cooperative pricing System; and

WHEREAS, the first renewal contract period shall commence November 3, 2023 and with the adoption of this Resolution, and/or at final execution of a separate contract or purchase order between Pennsauken Township and Techna-Pro, and will terminate November 2, 2024 with the option for one (1) additional one (1) year extensions upon written consent of the Township of Cherry Hill and Techna-Pro; and

WHEREAS, the availability of this contract best serves the needs of Pennsauken Township and the governing body recommends utilization of this contract; and

WHEREAS, all repairs will be made on an as-needed basis and this is an open-ended contract which the Township is not obligated to order, accept or pay for the goods and services hereunder until an order is placed, required certification of available funds shall be made when goods or services are ordered.

WHEREAS, the cost of these goods and services shall not exceed \$65,000 for FY 2024 for Pennsauken Township only.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Pennsauken, in the County of Camden, State of New Jersey that the Township accept the option to continue participation in the cooperative contract, Traffic Signal and School Flasher Emergency Response and Signal Modifications and Miscellaneous Electric Service with an Option for Maintenance and Inspection under the Cherry Hill Cooperative Pricing System Identifier #37-CHCPS, under the same terms and conditions of the original contract for the first one (1) year extension period, for an amount not to exceed \$65,000.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Cherry Hill, County of Camden, State of New Jersey that the Mayor or designee is authorized to execute such documents consistent with this Resolution and to take such other action on behalf of the Township in furtherance of this Resolution.

ATTEST:

Mayor Martinez

ADOPTED:

Pamela Scott-Forman, RMC