TOWNSHIP OF WILLINGBORO RESOLUTION 2022 – 138

AWARDING CONTRACT TO CENTRAL JERSEY CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT SALES D/B/A JERSEY RENTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ASV RT-40 SKID STEER

WHEREAS Willingboro Township Department of Public Works needs to acquire a compact, multi-purpose piece of construction, also known as a skid steer, with a maximum track width of 48 inches or equivalent; and,

WHEREAS the aggregate cost is anticipated to exceed the Township's bid threshold, which requires the contract, as outlined in N.J.S.A. 40A: 11-4a, to be awarded by resolution of the Governing Body to the lowest responsible bidder after public advertising for bids and bidding, therefore; and,

WHEREAS bids were advertised and later opened on August 2, 2022, for an ASV RT-40 skid steer; and,

WHEREAS two bids were received and opened, with the lowest base bid being:

Central Jersey Construction Equipment Sales D/B/A Jersey Rents \$54,600.00 ; and

WHEREAS the Department of Public Works would like to purchase these alternative options bringing the total purchase price to \$63,164.00:

- Dirt bucket option \$988
- Attachment adapter option \$979
- Snowplow option \$6500
- 3-inch-wide seat belt option \$97

WHEREAS the Qualified Purchasing Agent, Township Manager, and D.P.W. have reviewed the bids and find that the lowest bidder meets the specifications, the bidder is responsible and responsive, and recommend the contract be awarded to Central Jersey Construction Equipment Sales D/B/A Jersey Rents; and,

WHEREAS, Eusebia Diggs, Chief Financial Officer for Willingboro Township, has certified that free and unencumbered funds in the amount of \$63,164.00 are available for this purpose in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:34-5.1 et seq. as is indicated in the attached certification for the availability of 2022 funds for this contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Willingboro Township Council, assembled in an open public session on this 6th day of September 2022, in the County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, that the Department of Public Works, the Qualified Purchasing Agent and Township Manager are authorized to purchase an ASV RT-40 skid steer with a maximum track width of 48 inches or equivalent with alternate options from Central Jersey Construction Equipment Sales D/B/A Jersey Rents in the amount not to exceed \$63,164.00.

Councilmember	Moti	2 nd	Yea	Nay	Recuse	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Anderson			X				
Councilwoman Perrone			X				
Councilwoman Worthy	X		X				
Deputy Mayor Whitfield		X	X				
Mayor McIntosh			X				

Yaya T. McIntosh, Mayor

Acting Township Clerk