BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

RESOLUTION 22-098

RESOLUTION AWARDING A FAIR AND OPEN CONTRACT FOR THE SOUTH BAY AVENUE AND HILLSIDE AVENUE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2022, the Borough of Highlands received bids for the South Bay Avenue and Hillside Avenue Improvements Project; and

WHEREAS, three (3) bids were received for the aforesaid project which were reviewed by the Borough Engineer's Office, as follows:

<u>Bidder's Name</u> <u>Base Bid</u>

Jo-Med Contracting Corp. \$657,065.22

James R. Ientile, Inc. \$722,458.00

Seacoast Construction \$1,116,260.52; and

WHEREAS, Jo-Med Contracting Corp. appears to be the lowest responsible bidder for the aforesaid proposal; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Engineer, CME Associates, by way of correspondence dated March 28, 2022, has made the recommendation that the contract be awarded to Jo-Med Contracting Corp. as the lowest responsible bidder, subject to the availability of funds by the Chief Financial Officer and submission of the required bonds and insurance certificates for the project and concurrence of the award by the New Jersey Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, a certification of funds is hereby provided by the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough of Highlands.

I hereby certify funds are available as follows, C-04-12-112-000-510, C-06-18-001-000-201, C-04-12-112-000-555, C-04-17-102-000-201, C06-18-001-000-202:

Patrick DeBlasio, Chief Financial Officer

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough of Highlands governing body as follows:

- That the contract for the South Bay Avenue and Hillside Avenue Improvements Project is hereby awarded to Jo-Med Contracting Corp. in an amount not to exceed \$657,065.22, subject to submission of the required bonds and insurance certificates for the project and contingent upon approval of the funding by the New Jersey Department of Transportation.
- 2. That the Mayor, Borough Administrator and Borough Clerk be and are hereby authorized and directed to take all steps necessary to engage the services of Jo-Med Contracting Corp., including executing a contract.
- 3. A copy of the Resolution as well as the contract shall be placed on file with the Borough Clerk of the Borough of Highlands.
- 4. The Borough Clerk is hereby directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Borough Engineer, Jo-Med Contracting Corp. and to the unsuccessful bidders.
- 5. The Borough Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice of this award as required by law.

Motion to Approve R 22-098:

	INTRODUCE	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	This is a Certified True copy of the Original Resolution on file in the Municipal Clerk's Office.
CERVANTES							DATE OF VOTE: April 6, 2022
CHELAK							
MELNYK							
OLSZEWSKI							Nancy Tran, Acting Municipal Clerk
BROULLON							Borough of Highlands