

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACTS
FOR SNOW REMOVAL & WEATHER RELATED SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the Township advertised and prepared to receive bids for snow removal and weather related services, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. on September 9th, 2022 and September 22nd, 2022; and

WHEREAS, no proposals were received on either occasion; and

WHEREAS, per 40A:11-5(3) the Township may then negotiate the contract as no bids were received; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Public Works negotiated prices with the following vendors to provide snow removal and weather related services for the Township of Middletown as needed. All the vendors listed agreed to provide vehicles, equipment, and operators as per the attached hourly equipment rates:

**BENNETT'S PROPERTY AND DESIGN WORKS
32 KANES LANE
MIDDLETOWN, N.J. 07748**

**BRANIN'S CONSTRUCTION
P.O. BOX 415
HIGHLANDS, N.J. 07732**

**EAST COAST ENTERPRISE ELECTRIC, LLC
270 SUNRISE ROAD
BELFORD, N.J. 07718**

**FRANK SUTTON TRUCKING LLC
522 SHARK RIVER ROAD
WALL TOWNSHIP, N.J. 07727**

**RED BANK RECYCLING
64 CENTRAL AVENUE, P.O. BOX 2126
RED BANK, N.J. 07701**

WHEREAS, per the original bid specifications the contract will be awarded for a period of two (2) years beginning November 22, 2022 and ending October 31, 2024 in an amount not to exceed \$350,000.00 per year; and

WHEREAS, the appropriation to be charged is budget line item number(s) 2-01-26-290-101-280 and no amount of this contract shall be chargeable until certification of available funds is made and upon receipt of a properly executed purchase order. Availability of funds for any portion of the contract extending into subsequent years is

contingent upon the necessary funds being appropriated by the governing body in the municipal budget.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Middletown that the award for contract #22-13 – Snow Removal & Weather Related Services be awarded to the above vendors pursuant to the negotiated terms for the attached prices, and that the appropriate officials are hereby authorized to execute the contracts with the contractors.