

**BOROUGH OF PENNINGTON  
RESOLUTION 2024 – 2.12**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A.C. SCHULTES TO PERFORM ADDITIONAL  
WORK REQUIRED ON WELL #6 ON AN EMERGENCY BASIS**

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution 2023-7.6 the Borough of Pennington retained A.C. Schultes of Woodbury Heights, New Jersey to make necessary improvements to Well #6 in the Borough, including replacement of a vertical turbine pump with a high efficient clear well pump and the provision of electric assistance as needed;

**WHEREAS**, the contract with A.C. Schultes was awarded through the Borough’s cooperative pricing system agreement with the North Jersey Wastewater Cooperative Pricing System;

**WHEREAS**, under Resolution 2023-7.6, the contract with A.C.Schultes is authorized in an amount not to exceed \$31,415.00;

**WHEREAS**, during the course of performing the work A.C. Schultes discovered that many of the valves needed to operate the well are inoperable, requiring replacement as well as pipe modification; and

**WHEREAS**, in the opinion of the Superintendent of Public Works this situation should be considered an emergency that affects the public health, safety and welfare, because the well cannot be properly put back into service until this additional work is performed, and failure to address this problem immediately will prolong the current situation in which the Borough’s ability to provide drinking water and water for firefighting is severely compromised;

**WHEREAS**, A.C.Schultes has provided the attached proposal by which it can perform the work on an emergency basis for an estimated cost of \$10,000, although additional sums may be required depending on what is discovered during diagnosis of the distribution pump, the valves and pipes having an estimated age of 65 years with a general life expectancy of about 40 years;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that on the recommendation of the Borough’s Superintendent of Public Works the Borough Clerk is authorized to issue a Purchase Order on an emergency basis to retain A.C.Schultes to perform the work described in the attached proposal for a total cost not to exceed \$10,000.00.

**Record of Council Vote on Passage**

COUNCILMAN	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.	COUNCILMAN	AYE	NAY	N.V.	A.B.
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This is to certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Pennington at a meeting on February 5, 2024.

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Elizabeth Sterling, Borough Clerk