TOWNSHIP OF CHESTERFIELD RESOLUTION 2019-1-14

RESOLUTION APPOINTING RISK MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT FOR THE BURLINGTON COUNTY MUNICIPAL JOINT INSURANCE FUND

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Chesterfield has resolved to join the Burlington County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund, a self-insurance pooling fund, following a detailed analysis; and

WHEREAS, the Bylaws of said Fund permit each municipality to appoint a Risk Management Consultant to perform various professional services as detailed in the Bylaws; and

WHEREAS, the Bylaws indicate a fee not to exceed six percent (6%) of the Municipal Assessment, which expenditure represents reasonable compensation for the services required and was included in the cost considered by the Township Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law *N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et. seq.* requires that the Resolution authorizing the award of contracts for "professional services" without competitive bids and the contract itself must be available for public inspection; and

WHEREAS, notwithstanding the aforementioned exemption for competitive bidding, the Township Committee requested qualifications and proposals for said position and has awarded this contract under a "fair and open process" pursuant to *N.J.S.A.* 19:44A-20.4 et. seq. and

WHEREAS, two (2) proposal were received for the position of Risk Management Consultant;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Chesterfield in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey assembled in Reorganization Session this 3rd day of January 2019 that Stephen E. Walsh of EJA / Capacity Insurance in Bordentown, NJ is hereby appointed to serve as Risk Management Consultant for the Township of Chesterfield for a period of one (1) year, said appointment to expire on December 31, 2019 or the appointment of a qualified replacement, whichever shall occur later; and; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute the Consultant's Agreement annexed hereto to effectuate such appointment; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the required Notice of Contract Award shall be published in the Burlington County Times, designated as the official newspaper of the Township of Chesterfield, as required by law within ten (10) days of passage of this Resolution and a copy of the contract shall be maintained in the office of the Township Clerk and available for inspection during regular business hours.

CHESTERFIELD TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE

I, Caryn M. Hoyer, Clerk of the Township of Chesterfield in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey do hereby certify the foregoing Resolution to be a true and accurate copy of the Resolution approved by the Township Committee at a duly advertised meeting held on January 3, 2019 at which a quorum was present.

Caryn Hoyer, RMC Township Clerk