

RESOLUTION R23-123

**RESOLUTION REJECTING BIDS RECEIVED FOR THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR
BEAVERBROOK ROAD WATER MAIN IMPROVEMENTS AND AUTHORIZING THE RE-
ISSUANCE OF A REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR THIS CONTRACT**

WHEREAS, the Borough advertised for bids on March 22, 2023 for Beaverbrook Road
Water Main Improvements and;

WHEREAS, the Borough received nine bids on April 18, 2023 in response to the request
for bids; and

WHEREAS, the bids received were as follows:

1. Underground Utilities Corp., Linden, NJ - \$382,200.00
2. Regal Utility Services Inc., Hewitt, NJ - \$470,932.70
3. John Garcia Construction Co., Inc., - Clifton, NJ - \$498,704.10
4. Kulpeksa Land Improvement Corp., Rockaway, NJ - \$499,000.00
5. Mike Fitzpatrick Contractors Inc., Oak Ridge, NJ - \$499,810.00
6. MSP Construction Corp., Flemington, NJ - \$508,200.00
7. Colonelli Bros Inc., Hackensack, NJ - \$617,740.00
8. Montana Construction Inc., Lodi, NJ - \$626,010.00
9. The Shauger Group Inc., East Orange, NJ \$1,156,450.00

and;

WHEREAS, Underground Utilities Corp. submitted a request to withdraw its low bid on
April 19, 2023 due to a mistake/error in its bid; and

WHEREAS, the Borough has accepted, by resolution, the request by Underground
Utilities Corp to withdraw its bid; and

WHEREAS, all remaining bids received by the Borough, including the next lowest bid,
submitted by Regal Utility Services Inc., substantially exceed the proposed budget cost estimate
prepared by the Borough Engineer for this contract and are not reasonable/acceptable as to
price; and

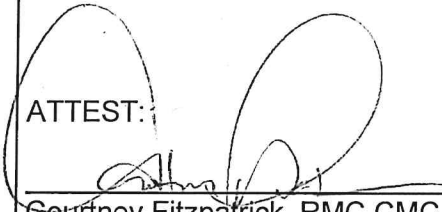
WHEREAS, pursuant N.J.S.A. 40A:11-13.2, the Borough may reject these bids; and 1

WHEREAS, the Borough desires to authorize the Borough Administrator to prepare and advertise a revised solicitation of bids for Beaverbrook Road Water Main Improvements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the Borough of Lincoln Park, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Borough of Lincoln Park rejects all eight remaining bids received on April 18, 2023 for Beaverbrook Road Water Main Improvements, as each substantially exceed the proposed budget cost estimate prepared by the Borough Engineer for this contract and are not reasonable/acceptable as to price.
2. The Administrator of the Borough of Lincoln Park is hereby authorized to prepare and re-advertise a solicitation of bids for Beaverbrook Road Water Main Improvements.

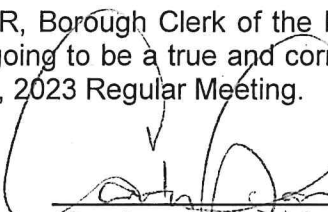
ATTEST:



Courtney Fitzpatrick, RMC,CMC,MMC,CMR
Borough Clerk
Borough of Lincoln Park

Andrew Seise, Council President

I, Courtney Fitzpatrick, RMC,CMC,MMC,CMR, Borough Clerk of the Borough of Lincoln Park, County of Morris, do hereby Certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution Adopted by the Governing Body at the May 1, 2023 Regular Meeting.



Courtney Fitzpatrick, RMC,CMC,MMC,CMR
Borough Clerk
Borough of Lincoln Park

Cc: Fabiana Mello
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