

RESOLUTION 2025-03-02

Adopt Procedures to be followed in the Purchase of Equipment Supplies and Services

WHEREAS, the Eatontown Sewerage Authority ("Authority") is desirous of adopting a uniform procedure for the purchase of equipment and supplies and the provision of services to the Authority; and

WHEREAS, the Authority is desirous of setting forth this procedure to be applicable immediately upon adoption of this Resolution and to continue in full force and effect until the next reorganization meeting of the Authority held pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:14A-1 et seq, at which time this Resolution shall terminate unless continued in its present or amended form.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the Eatontown Sewerage Authority as follows:

1. The procedures and authorities herein provided shall be applicable to the purchase of any materials, supplies or services except for such as may exceed the cost of \$17,500.00 or for professional services such as legal, engineering, accounting and similar services or as noted in N.J.S.A. 40A: 11-5 which shall only be upon Resolution of the Authority.

2. No purchase of or contract for materials, equipment, supplies or services shall be deemed binding upon the Authority or shall obligate the Authority for payment thereof except upon the following terms and conditions:

(a) The Executive Director shall cause to be attached to the voucher, where same exists, a copy of at least three written quotations or bids for items in excess of \$2,625, if practicable, the supporting requisition and/or purchase order, and the packing slip, invoice, or requisition signed by the person receiving the goods or services thus indicating the full receipt of such goods and services;

(b) Materials, services or supplies, the cost or obligation for which shall not exceed the sum of \$2,625 per item, may be purchased or contracted for on behalf of the Authority and payment therefore shall be made by the Authority upon the execution of a requisition for such materials, supplies or services by the Executive Director in accordance with (a) above;

(c) Materials, services or supplies, the cost or obligation for which exceeds \$2,625, but less than \$17,500, may only be purchased or contracted for upon execution of a Purchase Order by the Executive Director and provided further, that two written quotations where practicable or through an approved State contract or cooperative concerning the item or services authorized to be purchased shall have been obtained, except in cases of emergency, which emergency shall be stated in full on the Purchase Order executed by the Chairman, Vice-Chairman or any Commissioner;

(d) The purchase of any materials, supplies, equipment or contract for any services the cost or obligation for which is \$17,500 or more, to the extent same shall be applicable to the particular purchase or contract, shall be awarded only upon compliance with the bidding procedures provided by the Local Public Contracts Law except in those instances under the Local Public Contract Law where public bidding need not apply and then only upon specific Resolution of the Authority;

3. Services may also be procured using a Non-Fair and Open Process only by authorizing Resolution of the Commissioners of the Authority.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall continue in full force or effect until the next organization meeting of the Authority pursuant to NJSA 40:14A-1 et seq. at which time it shall terminate unless re-instituted in its existing or in an amended form by appropriate Resolution of the Commissioners.

Motion by East

Seconded by Sitz

ROLL CALL:

Yes: East, Sitz, Scarappa

No:

Absent: Bertley

Abstain: none

