

# Township of West Milford

Passaic County, New Jersey

## ~ Resolution 2023 – 230 ~

### RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD, COUNTY OF PASSAIC, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING PURCHASES FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT PUMP, LADDER AND HOSE TESTING FROM TECHNICAL FIRE SERVICES, INC. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TOWNSHIP'S PURCHASING POLICIES

**WHEREAS**, the Township Council of the Township of West Milford did adopt Ordinance 2013-020 to create the position of Qualified Purchasing Agent in the municipality and they did subsequently adopt resolution 2013-330 appointing a Qualified Purchasing Agent (QPA) and increasing the bid threshold to \$36,000; and

**WHEREAS**, a condition to the increase in the bid threshold, the Council did establish a policy whereby a resolution shall be presented for their consideration for any purchase in excess of the former bid threshold of \$17,500 and that the purchase shall warrant a minimum of three quotations; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township Council has received a recommendation from the Department of Fire to contract for Fire Department, pump, ladder and hose testing which expense shall exceed the aggregate quote threshold of \$17,500; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township has been doing the annual testing as required by N.F.P.A for the Fire Department apparatus pumps, ladders and hose; and

**WHEREAS**, three (3) quotes were solicited with the lowest coming in at \$14,506.25 from Technical Fire Services Inc.; and

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Fire recommends Technical Fire Services Inc., to conduct the testing of the Township apparatus pumps, Ladders and Hose; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township's Qualified Purchasing Agent is aware of the recommendation, and confirms that Technical Fire Services Inc. is the vendor for testing and the purchase is in compliance with the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has certified as to the availability of funds for this purchase, said funds to be encumbered from account 01-201-25-266-339.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Township of West Milford, County of Passaic, State of New Jersey, that the appropriate Township officials be and are hereby authorized to execute future purchases to Technical Fire Services Inc., 21 South Taylor Street, Bergenfield N.J. 07621-2436 in an amount not to exceed \$30,000 for the 2023 calendar year.

Adopted: June 14, 2023

Adopted this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2023  
and certified as a true copy of an original.

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William Senande, Township Clerk