

Township of West Milford

Passaic County, New Jersey

~ Resolution 2016 - 389 ~

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD, COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF INLET CASTINGS FOR THE TOWNSHIP'S ROAD RESURFACING PROGRAM AND FOR DRAINAGE REPAIRS 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 \$40,000; and

WHEREAS, as 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, under the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) stormwater regulations any resurfaced or reconstructed roadway must have the inlets retrofit to the approved reduced opening castings and bicycle safe grates; and

WHEREAS, since the inception of the 2004 NJDEP stormwater regulations the Township has retrofit nearly 2,200 inlet castings as part of annual road resurfacing; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Public Works has identified that \$26,200.00 of inlet castings will be required to perform drainage repairs and bring the Township Road Resurfacing Program into stormwater compliance; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Public works has solicited 3 quotations for the inlet castings and recommends purchase to the lowest bidder General Foundries Inc; and

WHEREAS, the Township's Qualified Purchasing Agent has reviewed the recommendation and confirmed that 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 number 01-201-26-290-343.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Township of West Milford, County of Passaic and State of New Jersey that the appropriate Township officials be and are hereby authorized to execute the purchase of inlet castings from General Foundries, Inc., 1 Progress Road, North Brunswick, NJ 08902 in an amount not to exceed \$26,200.00 for drainage repairs and the Township Road Resurfacing Program

Adopted: December 21, 2016

Adopted this 21st day of December, 2016
and certified as a true copy of an original.

Antoinette Battaglia, Township Clerk