

Township of West Milford

Passaic County, New Jersey

~ Resolution 2017 - 341 ~

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD, COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT TO PKB ENGINEERING CORPORATION FOR THE INSPECTION AND EVALUATION OF THE HIGH CREST DRIVE BRIDGE

WHEREAS, within the Township owned right-of-way the High Crest Drive Bridge (#1695-005) carries the roadway over the outfall of the High Crest Lake Dam spillway; and

WHEREAS, previous bridge inspections and evaluations (2006, 2010) have identified deficiencies with the bridge; and

WHEREAS, due to the proximity of the bridge to the spillway, the bridge cannot be repaired or replaced until the High Crest Lake Association obtains design approval from the Bureau of Dam Safety and Flood Control for mandated dam rehabilitation; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer recommends that another structural assessment be performed in order to determine if the bridge is still safe for the posted weight limit; and

WHEREAS, a Request for Proposals (RFP), prepared by the Engineering Division, resulted in four proposals received by the Township Clerk; and

WHEREAS, the Engineering Division has reviewed the proposals and has submitted a recommendation to the Township Administrator; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds for these services, said funds to be encumbered from account number 04-215-55-823-012.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of West Milford in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

1. The Mayor and Township Clerk be and are hereby authorized to execute a contract with PKB Engineering Corporation, One Harmon Plaza, Suite 300, Secaucus, NJ 07094, for engineering services for the inspection and evaluation of the High Crest Drive Bridge in an amount not to exceed \$2,400.00.
2. This contract is awarded as "Professional Services" pursuant to *N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20 et seq.* and the Local Public Contracts Law.
3. The total fee authorized for this contract shall not exceed \$2,400.00, without prior written approval of the Township Council.
4. That notice of this action shall be published in accordance with law and said notice to provide that the contract awarded and this resolution authorizing same are available for public inspection in the office of the Township Clerk.

Adopted: November 8, 2017

Adopted this 8th day of November 2017
and certified as a true copy of an original.

Antoinette Battaglia, Township Clerk