Township of West Milford

Passaic County, New Jersey

~ Resolution 2021 - 157 ~

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD, COUNTY OF PASSAIC, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE INTENT TO PURCHASE FROM ATLANTIC COMMUNICATIONS AS A VENDOR THAT HOLDS A STATE CONTRACT PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12 (A) IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TOWNSHIP'S PURCHASING POLICIES AND PAY-TO-PLAY LAW N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5 ET SEQ.

WHEREAS, the Township of West Milford pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12 (a) and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29 (c) may, by this resolution and a properly executed purchase order and without advertising for bids, purchase goods or services under any contract or contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property or Cooperative Pricing contract; and

WHEREAS, the Township 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 \$17,500.00 and that the purchase shall warrant use of State contract, cooperative pricing contract or a minimum of three quotations; and

WHEREAS, the Township of West Milford has a need on a timely basis to purchase goods and services utilizing the State Division of Purchase contract for communications services, purchases and repairs awarded to Atlantic Communications which expenses would exceed the threshold of \$17,500.00; and

WHEREAS, the above referenced vendor has complied with State pay-to-play regulations by completing and submitting a Business Entity Disclosure Certification; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.5 (b), no orders of material shall be undertaken until such time as the funding for the goods or services are certified by the Chief Financial Officer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Township 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 purchases to the above referenced vendor within the budget appropriation established for this purpose.

Adopted: April 21, 2021

Adopted this 21st day of April, 2021 and certified as a true copy of an original.

William Senande, Township Clerk