Township of West Milford

Passaic County, New Jersey

~ Resolution 2021 - 335 ~

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD, COUNTY OF PASSAIC, STATE OF NEW JERSEY REJECTING BIDS FOR THE MARKETING OF RECYCLABLES AND AUTHORIZING RE-BIDDING

WHEREAS, the Township of West Milford solicited bids on August 20, 2021 for the Marketing of Recyclables; and

WHEREAS, in response to the "Notice to Bidders" the Township received two (2) bids; and

WHEREAS, the lowest bid, pursuant to a "separate bid" submitted solely for paper curbside collection of products, did not conform with material conditions as required within the contract specifications, omitting required forms and thus rendering the bid non-responsive; and

WHEREAS, the second lowest bidder submitted an "alternate bid" for Marketing of Recyclables, but similarly did not conform with material conditions as required within the contract specifications, and failed to indicate the "percent of the current market value" to be returned, thus rendering the bid non-responsive; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been duly reviewed by Township Department of Public Works and the Township Attorney; and

WHEREAS, the local contracting unit may not waive material conditions contained in the bidding specifications; and

WHEREAS, the two (2) bidders are not responsive, due to failure to comply with the required bid specifications; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:12-2.2, a local contracting unit may reject all bids as non-responsive that fail to contain all certifications, forms and attachments, as required.

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 two bids received on August 20, 2021 for the Marketing of Recyclables are hereby rejected, due to being non-responsive to the required bid specifications.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Township Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to rebid for this project as soon as practical.

Adopted: September 8, 2021

Adopted this 8th day of September, 2021 and certified as a true copy of an original.

William Senande, Township Clerk