## MANSFIELD TOWNSHIP BURLINGTON COUNTY

## **RESOLUTION 2021-7-8**

## MEMORIALIZING RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT TO PURCHASE AND INSTALL PLOWS AND HITCHES ON TWO 2022 INTERNATIONAL CHASSIS FROM TRIUS INC. PURSUANT TO ESCNJ CO-OP #65MCESCCPS – ESCNJ 20/21-55

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Mansfield, Burlington County, is a party to a cooperative purchasing agreement with the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey (ESCNJ), a cooperative purchasing program organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-10 and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.11; and

**WHEREAS,** the Local Public Contracts Law authorizes a municipality to purchase goods and services through duly-formed cooperative purchasing system without advertising for bids; and

**WHEREAS**, the procurement of goods and services through a cooperative purchasing program is considered to be a fair and open process under the New Jersey Pay-To-Play Law N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Mansfield, Burlington County, desires to purchase and install plows and hitches on two 2022 International Chassis from Trius Inc. pursuant to ESCNJ CO-OP #65MCCESCCPS – ESCNJ 20/21-55; and

**WHEREAS**, Trius Inc. has submitted a proposal dated June 4, 2021 indicating they will provide and install the plows and hitches for the proposed amount of \$32,796.56; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Township Committee of the Township of Mansfield, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey that:

- 1. The Township Committee hereby awards a contract for the purchase and installation of plows and hitches for the two 2022 International Chassis in accordance with the specifications described in the proposal, by and between Mansfield Township, Burlington County and Trius Inc., 5049 Industrial Road, Farmingdale, New Jersey 07727, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the ESCNJ CO-OP #65MCESCCPS ESCNJ 20/21-55, be and is hereby approved and authorized. Said contract is being awarded retroactively to June 16, 2021.
- 2. Funds for this purchase have been authorized against Capital Ordinance 2021-9, as approved by the Township Committee at the Regular Meeting that was held on May 19, 2021, in the amount of \$1,980,600.00.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Township Clerk, as necessary, are hereby authorized to execute said contract with Beyer Ford.

MOTION:TALLONSECOND:GOLENDAROLL CALL VOTEAYES:TALLON, GOLENDA, HIGGINS, OCELLO, MAGEENAYS:NONEABSTAIN:NONE

## **CERTIFICATION**

**I, LINDA SEMUS, RMC, CMR** Municipal Clerk of the Township of Mansfield, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, do hereby CERTIFY the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Mansfield, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey at a meeting held on July 21, 2021 at 7:00 PM.

LINDA SEMUS, RMC, CMR, Municipal Clerk