

## BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

## **RESOLUTION 18-078**

## Resolution Authorizing Emergency Contract Due to Blockage of Sewer Main on Bay Avenue

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law permits the award of emergency contracts pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6 et. seq., subject to certain criteria, and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6 et seq. allows the award of contracts without public advertising for bids and bidding when an emergency exists affecting the public health, safety or welfare which requires the immediate delivery of goods or the performance of services, wherein the award of contract is made in the manner prescribed by the aforesaid statutory provision; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Highlands has determined that an emergency exists, wherein a large amount of Grease and Slurry was blocking the sewer main on Bay Ave.; and

WHEREAS, the Borough has determined that the aforesaid emergency affects the public health, safety and/or welfare and requires the immediate performance of services; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the declaration and pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6 et. seq., the aforesaid emergency inspection, grease cutting and cement removal from the sewer main on Bay Avenue is awarded to:

- Oswald Enterprises, Inc. for removal of cement in 10-inch sanitary line causing a blockage, in an amount not to exceed \$600.00; and
- Oswald Enterprises, Inc. for the T.V inspection of various sanitary sewer lines along Bay Avenue, in an amount not to exceed \$3,200; and
- Oswald Enterprises, Inc. for the T.V. inspection of various sanitary sewer lines along with Grease cutting and removal of cement from the pipes, in an amount not to exceed \$3,200; and
- Oswald Enterprises, Inc. for the T.V. inspection and grease cutting of various sanitary sewer lines in an amount not to exceed \$3,200.

Thereby totaling \$10,200.00; and

WHEREAS, certification of funds having been made by the Chief Financial Officer, that funds are available for the said purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of the Borough of Highlands that the contract for the aforesaid emergency inspection, grease cutting and cement removal that was required due to a blockage of the sewer main on Bay Avenue, be and is hereby authorized and ratified to Oswald Enterprises, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$10,200.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the contract is being awarded without public advertisement for bids pursuant to an emergency situation affecting the public health, safety and/or welfare, and as authorized by the Local Public Contract Laws, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6, which permits the awarding of emergency contracts.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Borough officials, including but not limited to, the Borough Administrator, are hereby authorized to execute the said emergency contracts, as well as any and all documents required to effectuate the same.

## MOTION to approve Resolution 18-078:

	INTROUCED	SECONDED	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
BRASWELL			X			
BROULLON		X	X			
D'ARRIGO			X			
RYAN			X			
O'NEIL	X		X			

I, Bonnie Brookes, Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Highlands, in the County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, hereby certify this to be a true copy of the action of the Governing Body, at its Council Meeting, held March 21<sup>st</sup> 2018. WITNESS my hand this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March 2018.

Bonnie Brookes, RMC Municipal Clerk