



BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS  
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

## RESOLUTION 24-151

### APPROVING CHANGE ORDER NO. 5 FOR PHASE I SANITARY SEWER IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

**WHEREAS**, by way of Resolution 22-099 duly adopted on April 6, 2022, Roman E&G Corporation was awarded a contract for the Phase I Sanitary Sewer Improvements Project in the amount of \$6,748,648.00; and

**WHEREAS**, by way of Resolution 23-163 duly adopted on July 19, 2023, Change Order No. 1 changing the scope of work for the Phase I Sanitary Sewer Improvements Project was approved; and

**WHEREAS**, by way of Resolution 24-058 duly adopted on February 7, 2024, Change Order No. 2 changing the amount allocated to cover the cost of uniformed police officers was approved; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of the approval of Change Order No. 2, the contract amount was increased by \$326,100.00, thereby increasing the contract amount from \$6,748,648.00 to \$7,074,748.00; and

**WHEREAS**, due to unforeseen conditions encountered during construction, by way of Resolution 24-076 duly adopted on March 6, 2024, Change Order No. 3 changing the contract amount for the Phase I Sanitary Sewer Improvements Project was approved; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of the approval of Change Order No. 3, the contract amount was increased by \$385,980.92, thereby increasing the Contract amount from \$7,074,748.00 to \$7,460,728.92; and

**WHEREAS**, by way of Resolution 24-130 duly adopted on June 19, 2024, Change Order No. 4 reducing the contract price due additional scope items, associated credits and a removed scope item due to a water main conflict on Bay Avenue was approved; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of the approval of Change Order No. 4, the contract amount was decreased by \$465,343.00, thereby decreasing the Contract amount from \$7,460,728.92 to \$6,995,385.92; and

**WHEREAS**, by letter dated August 13, 2024, the Project Engineer, H2M Associates, Inc., advised that an additional Change Order is necessary to increase the overall contract price; and

**WHEREAS**, the scope of work for Change Order No. 5 reflects a change to the contract amount with an increase of \$630,122.05, thereby increasing the Contract amount from \$6,995,385.92 to \$7,625,507.97; and

**WHEREAS**, this increase in contract price is due to an increase in the hourly rate for police officers for traffic control, leftover and unused materials that were a result of the removed scope of sewer main replacement on Bay Avenue due to a water main conflict, installation and removal of dewatering wells, removal of concrete slabs on Waterwitch Avenue as well as additional work required for the reconstruction of Central, Ocean and Beach including a new survey of proposed grades, new storm inlet, piping for positive drainage and a driveway cut-in allowance for potential work outside of the right of way, as set forth in detail in the letter dated August 13, 2024 from the Project Engineer, H2M Associates, Inc.; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with the aforesaid letter, the Project Engineer recommends that the Borough approve Change Order No. 5 in order to allow for the Phase I Sanitary Sewer Project to be completed; and

**WHEREAS**, certification of availability of funds is hereby provided by the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough of Highlands.

I hereby certify that funds are available as follows: Acct# C-06-22-101-000-201

  
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Patrick DeBlasio, Chief Financial Officer

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Governing Body of the Borough of Highlands that Change Order No. 5 changing the contract amount to reflect an increase of \$630,122.05, thereby increasing the Contract amount from \$6,995,385.92 to \$7,625,507.97 be and is hereby approved; and

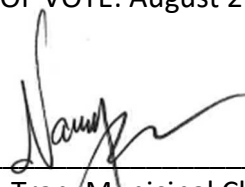
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a certified copy of the within Resolution be forwarded to the Chief Financial Officer, the Project Engineer, Purchasing Agent and Roman E&G Corporation.

Motion to Approve R 24-151:

	INTRODUCED	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
CERVANTES			X			
CHELAK			X			
MELNYK		X	X			
OLSZEWSKI			X			
BROULLON	X		X			

This is a Certified True copy of the Original Resolution on file in the Municipal Clerk's Office.

DATE OF VOTE: August 21, 2024

  
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Nancy Tran, Municipal Clerk  
Borough of Highlands