RESOLUTION NO. 29-23

THE BRICK TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY

March 30, 2023

A Resolution Awarding Bid for Water Treatment Chemicals

WHEREAS, the Brick Township Municipal Utilities Authority (hereinafter referred to as the "Authority") has solicited bids for the supply of water treatment chemicals for Fiscal Year 2023/2024 [April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024]; and

WHEREAS, bids have been solicited by the Authority for the project in conformance with the provisions of the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law, <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:11 <u>et seq.</u>, and

WHEREAS, bids were received pursuant to the advertisement and publicly opened on March 8, 2023 at 10:30 a.m.; and

WHEREAS, the bids have been carefully reviewed by Robert Bowers, Q.P.A., the Authority Solicitor, Ben A. Montenegro, and a recommendation has been made to the Commissioners by Director of Water Quality Joseph Maggio, P.E., as to the lowest responsible bidder for each of the chemicals, as follows:

Chemical		Low Bidder	23/24 Bid Amount
1.	Sodium Hydroxide (50% Caustic)	PVS Minibulk, Inc.	\$261,600 (\$6.54/gallon)
2.	Liquid Chlorine/Gas	Kuehne Chemical Co., Inc	\$200,000 (\$4000/ton)
3.	Calcium Hydrated Lime	Greer Industries, Inc.	\$204,750 (\$315.00/ton)
4.	Bioxide Liquid Calcium Nitrate	Evoqua Water Technologies, LLC	\$16,550 (\$3.31/gallon)
5.	Zinc Orthophosphate (6 Month)	Shannon Chemical Corporation (6 Month)	\$317,550 (\$21.17/gallon) (6 Month)
6.	Aqua Ammonia	Univar Solutions USA Inc.	\$17,600.00 (\$4.40/gallon)
7.	Carbon Dioxide	Linde Inc.	\$140,000 (\$400/ton)
8.	Liquid Alum	Chemtrade Chemicals US, LLC	\$408,240 (\$1.4580/gallon)

WHEREAS, the bid documentation submitted by each of the above lowest responsible bidders for each of the particular chemical supplies has been reviewed by Director Maggio, Robert Bowers, QPA, and the Authority Solicitor and has been found acceptable as to form and content, and is in compliance with the bid specifications; and

WHEREAS, any 2023/2024 budget overrun for chemicals will be accounted for from within other 2023/2024 operating accounts;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED this 30th day of March, 2023, by the Brick Township Municipal Utilities Authority as follows:

- 1. The contracts for the chemicals be and hereby are awarded as hereinabove set forth, subject to all conditions outlined in the Notice to Bidders and Specifications.
- 2. The Chairman and Executive Director and Secretary of the Authority be and hereby are authorized to execute any and all necessary documents in order to implement the intent of this resolution.
- 3. The Executive Director be and hereby is authorized to return the bid bonds and other security received from the unsuccessful bidders within three (3) days after execution of the contracts, and to notify all bidders of the award of these contracts.
- 4. A copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded by the Administrative Secretary of the Authority to the following:
 - A. Thomas C. Curtis, Chair;
 - B. Chris A. Theodos, Executive Director;
 - C. Joseph Maggio, Director Water Quality;
 - D. John Clifford, Chief Financial Officer;
 - E. Nicholas C. Montenegro, Esquire;
 - F. Michael Blandina, Secretary; and
 - G. All Bidders

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Brick Township Municipal Utilities Authority, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, held on Thursday, March 30, 2023, a quorum being present and voting in the majority.

MICHAEL BLANDINA Authority Secretary

CFO Certification of Funds

I certify that sufficient funds exist within the Authority's Operating Budget, Account No. to fund the action authorized herein.

John Clifford, CFO

Prepared by:

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