RESOLUTION NO. 62-23

THE BRICK TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY

September 28,2023

A Resolution for Approving and Authorizing the Award of a Contract to JVS Industrial and Commercial Contractors, Inc. in the amount of \$6,668,555.83 for the Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation and Replacement, Brick Utilities' Contract No. 818002 and New Jersey Infrastructure Bank ("NJIB") Project No. S340448-12

WHEREAS, on August 9, 2023, the Brick Township Municipal Utilities Authority (hereinafter referred to as the "Authority") pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq., advertised for bids for the Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation and Replacement, Contract No. 818002, for the rehabilitation of approximately 69 existing manholes using CIP composite liners and the replacement of approximately 20 existing manholes with new PVC lined manholes; and

WHEREAS, two (2) bids ranging in price from a low of \$6,668,555.83 to a high of to \$8,926,736.50 were received pursuant to the advertisement and publicly opened on September 12, 2023 at 2:00 P.M.; and

WHEREAS, the submitted bids have been reviewed by the Authority's Deputy Executive Director and Director of Engineering/Operations, Stephen T. Specht, P.E., and the Authority's Counsel, Ben A. Montenegro, Esq.; and

WHEREAS, the Authority's Deputy Executive Director and Director of Engineering/Operations, Stephen T. Specht, P.E., noted no irregularities with the bid received from JVS Industrial and Commercial Contractors, Inc. as part his review of all of the bids; and

WHEREAS, the Authority's Deputy Executive Director and Director of Engineering/Operations, Stephen T. Specht, P.E., is recommending the award of this Contract to JVS Industrial and Commercial Contractors, Inc. the lowest bidder, in the amount of \$6,668,555.83; and

WHEREAS, this award of contract is contingent upon receipt of the Authorization-to-Award from the NJIB; and

WHEREAS, Brick Utilities' Chief Financial Officer, John Clifford, has advised Brick Utilities that sufficient funds for the payment of \$6,668,555.83 do exist for Capital Project No. 818002 to be drawn from NJIB Series 2023/2024

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE BRICK TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY as follows:

- 1. The Sanitary Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation and Replacement, Contract No. 818002, is hereby awarded to the low bidder, JVS Industrial and Commercial Contractors, Inc., in the amount of \$6,668,555.83 subject to all conditions outlined in the Notice to Bidders, Specifications and Contract Documents and contingent upon the Authorization-to-Award from the NJIB; and
- 2. The Authority's Deputy Executive Director and Director of Engineering/Operations, Stephen T. Specht, P.E., has recommended to the Authority that JVS Industrial and Commercial Contractors, Inc. as the low bidder be awarded the Contract; and
- 3. The Authority's Deputy Executive Director and Director of Engineering/Operations, Stephen T. Specht, P.E., is authorized to return the bid bonds and other security received from the unsuccessful bidders within three (3) days after execution of the contract and to notify all bidders of the award of the contract; and
- The Authority's Chairman and Secretary are hereby authorized to execute a contract with JVS Industrial and Commercial Contractors, Inc., 154 Silver Lake Ave, Edison, NJ 08817 for this project; and
- 5. Said amount of \$6,668,555.83 shall be funded from Capital Project No. 818002 for the payment of the obligation provided for herein; and
- 6. A certified copy of this resolution shall be forwarded by the Administrative Secretary of the Authority to the following:
 - A. Thomas C. Curtis, Authority Chair
 - B. Michael Blandina, Authority Secretary
 - C. Chris A. Theodos, P.E., P.P., C.M.E., C.P.W.M., C.F.M., Executive Director

- D. Stephen T. Specht, P.E., Deputy Executive Director and Director of Engineering/Operations
- E. John Clifford, C.F.O.
- F. Nicholas C. Montenegro, Esquire
- G. JVS Industrial and Commercial Contractors, Inc.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Brick Township Municipal Utilities Authority at a meeting held on the 28th day of September, 2023, a quorum being present and voting in the majority.

Michael Blandina Authority Secretary

<u>CFO Certification of Funds</u> I certify that sufficient funds exist within the Authority's Capital Project No. 818002 to fund the action authorized herein.

John Clifford, CFO