RESOLUTION NO. 2022-201

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LITTLE EGG HARBOR, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, REJECTING BIDS FOR THE UPGRADE AND EXPANSION OF THE EXISTING TOWNSHIP OWNED PROPERTY SECURITY CAMERAS AND THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING ACCESS SYSTEM AND AUTHORIZING RE-BID

WHEREAS, the Township authorized the receipt of bids for upgrading, expanding and repairing of existing security surveillance systems at various Township property locations pursuant to Resolution 2022-150; and

WHEREAS, the Township, upon request, distributed eight bid packages to potential bidders for the Upgrade and Expansion of the Existing Township owned Property Security Cameras and the Municipal Building Access System; and

WHEREAS, Township answers to timely questions from a potential bidder as to the bid specifications were not distributed to all vendors and an addenda was not properly issued; and

WHEREAS, on July 21, 2022, the Township of Little Egg Harbor opened and read the one bid received for the upgrade and expansion of the existing Township owned Property Security Cameras and the Municipal Building Access System despite the lack of distribution of addenda; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:11-13.2 provides that a municipality may reject all bids when the purposes or provisions or both of P.L.1971, c. 198 (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. are being violated; and

WHEREAS, the governing body desires to reject all bids and authorize re-bidding for the project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of the Township of Little Egg Harbor, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, as follows:

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- That all bids received for upgrade and expansion of the existing Township owned Property Security Cameras and the Municipal Building Access System are hereby rejected in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-13.2.
- 2. That the governing body does hereby authorize the preparation of specifications and the subsequent receipt of bids for upgrade and expansion of the existing Township owned Property Security Cameras and the Municipal Building Access System, to be performed by the Township Administrator, Township Attorney and/or other appropriate Township personnel. The Township shall determine the time, date and place for the receipt of said bids.
- 3. That a notice to bidders shall be published in regard to the receipt of bids for upgrade and expansion of the existing Township owned Property Security Cameras and the Municipal Building Access System in accordance with the specifications prepared by the Township.
- 4. That a certified copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to the Chief Financial Officer/Administrator.

<u>CERTIFICATION</u>

I, KELLY LETTERA, RMC, Municipal Clerk of Little Egg Harbor Township, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Little Egg Harbor Township Committee at a meeting held on the 11th day of August, 2022.

KELLY LETTERA, RMC

Township Clerk

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