

BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

RESOLUTION 22-171

AWARDING A FAIR AND OPEN CONTRACT FOR THE IMPROVEMENTS TO GERTRUDE EDERLE PARK PROJECT

WHEREAS, the Borough of Highlands accepted bids on June 22, 2022 for the Improvements to Gertrude Ederle Park Project; and

WHEREAS, four (4) bids were received for the aforesaid project which were reviewed by the Borough Engineer's Office, as follows:

<u>Bidder's Name</u>	Base Bid	
TC Landscape Construction	\$181,800.00	
S. Batata Construction	\$202,500.00	
Seacoast Construction	\$310,400.00	
Giacorp Contracting	\$351,940.00; and	

WHEREAS, TC Landscape Construction appears to be the lowest responsible bidder for the aforesaid project; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Engineer, CME Associates, by way of correspondence dated June 27, 2022, has made the recommendation that the contract be awarded to TC Landscape Construction, as the lowest responsible bidder, for the Base Bid in the amount of \$181,800.00, subject to the availability of funds by the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough of Highlands as well as the submission of the required bonds and insurance certificates for the project; and

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

I hereby certify funds are available as follows: Account # 2-01-44-901-000-265

Patrick DeBlasio, Chief Financial Officer

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough of Highlands governing body as follows:

- 1. That the Contract for the Improvements to Gertrude Ederle Park Project is hereby awarded to TC Landscape Construction in an amount not to exceed \$181,800.00, subject to submission of the required bonds and insurance certificates for the project.
- 2. That the Mayor, Borough Administrator and Borough Clerk be and are hereby authorized and directed to take all steps necessary to engage the services of TC Landscape Construction, including executing a contract.
- 3. A copy of this Resolution as well as the contract shall be placed on file with the Borough Clerk of the Borough of Highlands.
- 4. The Borough Clerk is hereby directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Borough Engineer and to the unsuccessful bidders.

Motion to Approve R 22-171:

	INTRODUCED	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
CERVANTES						Χ
CHELAK			Χ			
MELNYK			Χ			
OLSZEWSKI		Χ	Χ			
BROULLON	Х		Χ			

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

DATE OF VOTE: July 13, 2022

Nancy Tran, Municipal Clerk Borough of Highlands