

**RESOLUTION
OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL
OF PRINCETON
AWARDING THE CONTRACT KNOWN AS
“1500 GALLON TRUCK MOUNTED SEWER JET
WITH TELESCOPIC ROTATING HOSE REEL”
TO BUCKS COUNTY INTERNATIONAL INC.**

WHEREAS, the Princeton Sewer Operating Committee (PSOC) has advised the Mayor and Council of the need for equipment for the maintenance of sanitary sewer mains throughout that PSOC’s sanitary sewer service area; and

WHEREAS, a contract known as “1500 Gallon Truck Mounted Sewer Jet with Telescopic Rotating Hose Reel” for said services was put out to public bid, the bids being received and opened on September 24, 2013; and

WHEREAS, Princeton received the following bids in connection with said contract:
Bucks County International Inc., Langhorne, Pa. in the amount of \$209,520.00; and
Jack Doheny Companies, Inc., Wharton, N.J. in the amount of \$214,187.00.

WHEREAS, the PSOC staff has reviewed this bid and determined that the bid submitted by Bucks County International Inc., Langhorne, Pennsylvania is a responsible bid for this project; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection’s Bureau of Construction and Connection Permits (Division of Water Quality, Municipal Finance & Construction Element) is currently reviewing the bid and other post bid documentation in accordance with the requirements of the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program (NJEIFP); and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that funds are available for the project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of Princeton as follows:

1. That the contract for the project known as “1500 Gallon Truck Mounted Sewer Jet with Telescopic Rotating Hose Reel” is awarded, subject to the approval of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection’s Bureau of Construction and Connection Permits (Division of Water Quality, Municipal Finance & Construction Element) to Bucks County International Inc., Langhorne, Pennsylvania in the bid amount of \$209,520.00.
2. The Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute a contract with Bucks County International Inc.

CERTIFICATION

I, Linda S. McDermott, Clerk of Princeton, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was considered and adopted by the Princeton Council at its regular meeting held on the 14th day of October, 2013.

Linda S. McDermott, Clerk
Princeton

Princeton Sewer Operating Committee

Memo

To: Mayor and Council of Princeton

From: Robert A. Hough, P.E.
PSOC Manager / Engineer

Date: October 9, 2013

RE: Recommendation of Award
1500 Gallon Truck Mounted Sewer Jet
with Telescopic Rotating Hose Reel

Bucks County International Inc.
134 Old Oxford Valley Road
Langhorne, Pa., 19047

On Tuesday, September 24, 2013, Princeton, on behalf of the Princeton Sewer Operating Committee (PSOC), received bids for the above referenced project. The low bidder is Bucks County International Inc. with a bid amount of Two Hundred Nine Thousand Five Hundred Twenty Dollars and Zero Cents (\$209,520.00). Two (2) bids were received and the other bid was in the amount of \$214,187.00.

The Bidder's Proposal (including the bidder's checklist), Non – Collusion Affidavit, Ownership Disclosure Statement, Site Visitation Statement, Affirmative Action Statement, Certification by Bidder Regarding Equal Employment Opportunity, Certification of Nonsegregated Facilities, Subcontractor Identification Statement, State Contractor Business Registration Program Certification, Bid Bond and Surety Guaranty from the above named bidder of the above referenced contract have been reviewed by the PSOC and have been found to have been prepared in the manner required.

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP)'s Bureau of Construction and Connection Permits' Construction Management Section (Division of Water Quality, Municipal Finance & Construction Element) is currently reviewing the Bid.

It should be noted that the PSOC has satisfactorily purchased equipment from this vendor on numerous occasions.

This project will be financed through the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Financing Program (NJEIFP). The bid amount is within the amount allocated for this project under the NJEIFP.

Therefore, based on the above, the PSOC recommends that the contract entitled: “1500 Gallon Truck Mounted Sewer Jet with Telescopic Rotating Hose Reel” be awarded to Bucks County International Inc. with a bid amount of Two Hundred Nine Thousand Five Hundred Twenty Dollars and Zero Cents (\$209,520.00).

As always, should you have any questions concerning this recommendation, please feel free to contact me.

CC: Robert W. Bruschi, Administrator
Kathryn Monzo, Deputy Administrator
Sandra L. Webb, Chief Finance Officer