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**RESOLUTION 19-381**

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**Resolution Authorizing Sale of a Used Bio-Digester 624 Composter, Conveyor, Mixer by Sealed Bid**

**WHEREAS**, the Municipality of Princeton owns a piece of equipment described as a used Brome 624 Composter, Conveyor, Mixer (“Equipment”), which is no longer needed for public use; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-36, the Municipality seeks to authorize the sale of the Equipment by sealed bid to the highest bidder; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the Municipality’s hope, but not a requirement for bidding, that the Equipment be used in the future to compost organic waste in and around the Municipality of Princeton.


**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Princeton Council on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2019 that:

1. The Municipality of Princeton is hereby authorized and directed to sell by sealed bid its used Brome 624 Composter, Conveyor, Mixer (“Equipment”), which is no longer needed for public use.
2. The bidding shall be conducted pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-36 of the Local Public Contracts Law (“LPCL”), and such other provisions of the LPCL as are applicable.
3. The terms and conditions of the sale, including the time and place, shall be determined by the Administrator and published by Notice to Bidders, which sale shall not be less than seven nor more than fourteen days after the latest publication of the Notice to Bidders.

4. The terms and conditions of the sale shall be consistent with this Resolution and as set forth in the Notice to Bidders, which shall include, but not limited to, the following terms:
  - a. There shall be a minimum bid of \$ 20,000.00 for the purchase of the Equipment.
  - b. A deposit of ten (10%) percent of the bid amount shall accompany the bid, which shall be in the form of a cashiers' or certified check made payable to the Municipality of Princeton.
  - c. Payment of the balance of the purchase price shall be made within five (5) days of the Council's resolution confirming the award to the purchaser.
  - d. The Equipment shall be sold "as is."
  - e. The Municipality reserves the right to reject all bids if it determines such rejection to be in the public interest.

Councilperson	Absent	Present	1 <sup>st</sup>	2nd	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Disqualified
Mr. Cohen		X			X			
Ms. Crumiller		X	X		X			
Ms. Fraga		X			X			
Ms. Niedergang		X		X	X			
Mr. Quinn		X			X			
Mr. Williamson		X			X			
Mayor Lempert		X						

I, Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk of Princeton, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council of Princeton at a meeting held December 16, 2019.



Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk

**ATTACHMENTS:**

- Council Memo -Resolution Public Auction Composter (DOCX)