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**RESOLUTION 20-315**

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**Resolution Authorizing The Award Of The Contract Known As  
"Princeton Fall 2020 Ash Replacement Project" To Wetlands, Inc. In  
The Amount Of \$25,740.00**

**WHEREAS**, the Municipality of Princeton has solicited bid proposals for tree replacements at various locations within the Municipality of Princeton for Fall 2020 Ash Replacement Project; and

**WHEREAS**, all bid proposals were opened on September 16, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, Princeton received the following bids: Wetlands, Inc., 569 North Midland Avenue, Saddle Brook, New Jersey 07663 with a bid of \$25,740.00; Sunset Creations, 355 Route 601, Belle Mead, New Jersey 08502 with a bid of \$26,235.00; and Silagy Contracting, LLC, PO Box 1096, Edison, New Jersey 08817 with a bid of \$30,886.00.

**WHEREAS**, it is the recommendation of the Municipal Arborist/Open Space Manager that the contract be awarded to Wetlands, Inc., 569 North Midland Avenue, Saddle Brook, New Jersey 07663 as the lowest responsible bidder; and

**WHEREAS**, Princeton's Chief Financial Officer has certified that sufficient funds in the total amount of \$25,740.00 are available for this project as follows:

Capital Account: 04-215-19-021-075-340.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the Municipality of Princeton, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, as follows:

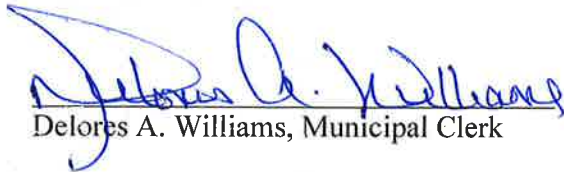
1. The Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement with Wetlands, Inc., 569 North Midland Avenue, Saddle Brook, New Jersey 07663 for Princeton Fall 2020 Ash Replacement Project, consistent with this Resolution and the

above "Whereas" clauses.

2. Wetlands, Inc., 569 North Midland Avenue, Saddle Brook, New Jersey 07663 shall be paid \$25,740.00. Wetlands, Inc., 569 North Midland Avenue, Saddle Brook, Ne

Councilperson	Absent	Present	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Disqualified
Mr. Cohen		X			X			
Ms. Fraga		X			X			
Ms. Niedergang		X		X	X			
Ms. Pirone-Lambros		X			X			
Ms. Sacks		X	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 September 30, 2020.



Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk

**ATTACHMENTS:**

- Fall Ash Replacement 2020 Memo M&C Award (DOCX)