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**RESOLUTION 20-385**

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**Resolution Authorizing the Purchase of an Easement Cleaning Machine for the Maintenance of Sewers in Easements at a Not to Exceed Cost of \$79,614.30 Using Sourcewell Contract #122017-SCA**

**WHEREAS**, sanitary sewers must regularly be cleaned, and the Municipality of Princeton (“Princeton”) does not currently have the equipment necessary to clean all portions of the sewer system; and

**WHEREAS**, the Sewer Operating Committee (“Committee”) recommends the procurement of the JAJ-600WH Work Horse Easement Machine; and

**WHEREAS**, the Department has researched vendors that would achieve the Department’s goals and determined that the sought-after Easement Cleaning Machine may be procured through a nationally-recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing contract #122017-SCA in effect until February 20, 2022 between Sourcewell [formerly known as National Joint Powers Alliance (“NJPA”)] and Sewer Equipment of America, 1590 Dutch Road, Dixon, IL 61021; and

**WHEREAS**, Jet Vac Equipment, 195 Green Pond Road, Rockaway, NJ, 07866 is an authorized representative of Sewer Equipment of America and is authorized to fulfill purchases using contract #122017-SCA; and

**WHEREAS**, Princeton is a member of Sourcewell (Princeton Member ID # - 28187);  
and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2b.(3) (as amended by P.L. 2011, c. 139) and LFN 2012-10, a New Jersey municipality may purchase goods and services without public bidding under the Local Public Contracts Law through the use of a nationally-recognized and

accepted cooperative purchasing contract that has been developed utilizing a competitive bidding or contracting process by another contracting unit within New Jersey or another State; and

**WHEREAS**, Sourcewell is a regional organization of governmental units operating under the laws of the State of Minnesota and is itself a government corporation and agency pursuant to the laws of Minnesota; and

**WHEREAS**, also pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2b.(3) (as amended by P.L. 2011, c. 139) and LFN 2012-10, prior to making purchases under nationally-recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing contracts, the municipality must determine that the use of the cooperative purchasing contract shall result in cost savings after all factors, including charges for service, material, and delivery have been considered; and

**WHEREAS**, the Department has determined that Princeton's use of the Sourcewell cooperative purchasing contract to procure the JAJ-600WH Work Horse Easement Machine will result in cost savings to Princeton; and

**WHEREAS**, consistent with the Sourcewell cooperative purchasing contract and needs of Princeton, Jet Vac Equipment has submitted a quote to provide the JAJ-600WH Work Horse Easement Machine for the sum of \$79,614.30; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that sufficient funds are available from the following accounts: 04-215-14-025-089-353 (\$25,000.00); 04-215-15-009-089-304 (\$1,322.63); 04-215-16-023-089-304 (\$1,361.70); 04-215-17-031-089-304 (\$4,784.60); 04-215-14-025-089-352 (\$29,684.00); 04-215-15-009-089-307 (\$17,461.37).

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

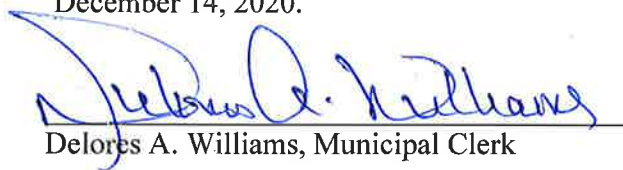
. The Chief Financial Officer is authorized to purchase a JAJ-600 WH Work Horse

Easement Machine from Jet Vac Equipment under Sourcewell Contract #122017-SCA.

. These expenditures shall be charged to the appropriate Capital accounts.

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	X			
Ms. Sacks		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 on December 14, 2020.



Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk

**ATTACHMENTS:**

- Memo - Purchase of Sewer Easement Machine 2020 AJF (DOCX)
- PrincetonSoc-JAJ-Quote-rev2 (PDF)