



RESOLUTION 22-67

Resolution Approving Agreement with John Zampini for 2022 Deer Management Services Supporting Animal Control Officer, Not to Exceed \$8,000.00

WHEREAS, John Zampini is a New Jersey resident and recreational hunter who through his organization Suburban Deer Management Association (collectively, "Zampini") assists municipalities and other entities with the management and control of white-tailed deer using traditional bow hunting; and

WHEREAS, Zampini implements these services by serving as a volunteer field coordinator overseeing and hunting with a group of volunteer recreational hunters that Zampini selects based on a quota system, whereby hunters who demonstrate a superlative safety record and who remove large numbers of deer are permitted to participate, and hunters who are poor performers are not invited to continue participating; and

WHEREAS, Princeton used Zampini's services for each bow hunting season since 2016 bow; and

WHEREAS, Zampini has also demonstrated a commitment to increasing Princeton's use of, and reliance on, bow hunting to help manage its white-tailed deer population; and

WHEREAS, each year Princeton's Animal Control Officer has supported the efforts of White Buffalo during the annual deer cull; and

WHEREAS, the Animal Control Officer is unable to perform these duties in full capacity this year;

WHEREAS, Zampini's experience with the program allows Princeton to continue with supporting White Buffalo's efforts; and

WHEREAS, Princeton wishes to utilize Zampini to assist with these efforts and support White Buffalo and the Animal Control Officer for a not-to-exceed cost of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00), with the proviso that this cap may be increased in accordance with the requirements and limitations set forth in the Local Public Contracts Law and within budget limitations; and

WHEREAS, because the value of the contract with Zampini does not exceed the bid threshold, this contract award is exempt from public bidding pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-3a and 40A:11-6.1a; and

WHEREAS, Princeton has not solicited quotes for the provision of these services because it was not practicable to do so and because any money expended in exchange for the services provided will be well below the bid threshold; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that sufficient funds are available for this purpose from Administration-Unclassified Account No. 01-201-27-343-282;

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

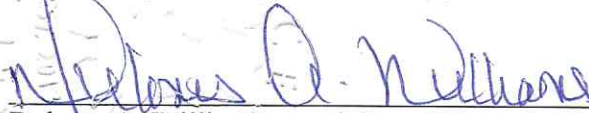
1. The preamble to this Resolution is incorporated herein and made a part hereof as if set forth in full.
2. The Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement with John Zampini pursuant to the terms set forth in the attached agreement, said agreement to be subject to the approval of the Municipal Attorney.
3. The contract term shall terminate on or before March 31, 2022.
4. The Mayor, Administrator, Clerk, Municipal Attorney and other appropriate staff and officials are hereby authorized and directed to undertake any and all other acts and

execute any and all other documents as may be proper and necessary to effectuate the terms of this resolution.

5. A copy of this resolution and the executed agreement shall be placed on file in the office of the Clerk.
6. A notice of this action shall be published in the Princeton Packet, as required by law.

Councilperson	Absent	Present	1 st	2 nd	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Disqualified
Mr. Cohen		X		X	X			
Ms. Fraga		X	X		X			
Ms. Niedergang		X			X			
Ms. Pirone Lambros		X			X			
Ms. Sacks		X			X			
Mr. Newlin		X			X			
Mayor Freda		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 January 24, 2022.



Delores A. Williams, Municipal Clerk

ATTACHMENTS:

- Council Memo - John Zampini ACO Support 2022 (DOCX)
- John Zampini ACO Support Contract 2022 (DOCX)