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A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH BRUNSWICK AUTHORIZING THE SOLICITATION OF PROPOSALS FROM QUALIFIED VENDORS FOR A PUBLIC/PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT FOR THE OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, MANAGEMENT, AND REPAIR SERVICES FOR THE MUNICIPAL WATER SYSTEM

WHEREAS, North Brunswick Township is a municipal corporation within the County of Middlesex and is the owner of its water treatment plant, transmission and distribution lines (collectively hereinafter the "Water System"), which services over 11,000 customer accounts, including residential, commercial and business; and

WHEREAS, in 2002, the Township entered into a 20-year agreement with American Water Enterprises, LLC for the operation, management, maintenance and repair of the Water System; and

WHEREAS, under the New Jersey Water Supply/Wastewater Treatment Public-Private Contracting Act *N.J.Stat. §* 58:26-19 et seq., North Brunswick as a public entity may enter into a long-term agreement for the provision of water supply "services" with an outside firm; and

WHEREAS, under the Act, "services" may include the construction, improvement, operation, maintenance, administration or any combination thereof the Water System and as such, offers flexibility in terms of defining responsibilities under the solicitation from vendors; and

WHEREAS, the Township having jurisdiction to determine the terms and conditions under which it supplies water to customers within municipal limits, has determined it is in the best interest of the community to issue a notice for the solicitation of proposals from vendors interested in providing a service agreement for the operation, maintenance, management and repair services of the Water System; and

WHEREAS, proposals from interested vendors will be evaluated based on criteria including financial, technical and administrative capability to provide the described services outlined within the solicitation for the operation, maintenance, management and repair services of the Water System.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED on this 7th day of February 2022, that the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick, in the County of Middlesex, does hereby authorize the advertisement and notice for the following:

TITLE OF SERVICE: OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, MANAGEMENT, AND

REPAIR SERVICES FOR THE MUNICIPAL WATER SYSTEM

ADVERTISEMENT DATE: FEBRUARY 10, 2022

RECEPTION DATE: APRIL 7, 2022

Justine Progebin Ronald Gordon, Esq.
Business Administrator Township Attorney

Approved as to legal form

Resolution:

RECORDED VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	NOTES
MEHTA				
LOPEZ				
GUADAGNINO				
ANDREWS				
SOCIO				
DAVIS				
MAYOR WOMACK				

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was duly adopted by the Township Council of the	e Township
of North Brunswick, County of Middlesex, at its meeting held on February 7, 2022.	

Lisa Russo Township Clerk