## TOWNSHIP OF NORTH BRUNSWICK RESOLUTION

## Authorizing Award of Contract BID25010 to Franklin Miller, Inc. for the Purchase of a Sewage Grinder

**WHEREAS,** the Township of North Brunswick's Sewer Division is responsible for maintaining the sewer system and responding to sewer emergencies; and

**WHEREAS,** the Sewer Division has indicated a need for a sewage grinder to protect vital sludge system equipment; and

**WHEREAS,** Director of Public Works Steve Bloyed has made a recommendation that the Township purchase a sewage grinder to protect the integrity of our sewer pumping stations; and

**WHEREAS,** on April 21, 2025 the Township Council approved Resolution 143-4.25 authorizing advertisement for receipt of bids for the Purchase of a Sewage Grinder, BID25010; and

**WHEREAS**, the Purchasing Agent received and the Municipal Clerk witnessed the receipt of three (3) bids on May 14, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, lowest bid received was submitted by Franklin Miller, Inc. (60 Okner Parkway, Livingston, NJ 07039) for the purchase of a sewage grinder for the price of \$62,296.00 and

**WHEREAS**, Ron Gordon with Rainone Coughlin Minchello LLC, appointed Municipal Legal Counsel, has reviewed the bid submitted by Franklin Miller, Inc. and determined them responsive under the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law (<u>N.J.S.A</u>. 40A:11-1 et seq.) and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the Director's recommendation to authorize a contract with Franklin Miller, Inc., under BID25010, for the purchase of a sewage grinder for the price of \$62,296.00 and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the bid submitted by Franklin Miller, Inc. is hereby accepted.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** on this 9<sup>th</sup> day of June 2025 that the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick does hereby authorize the Mayor to execute and the Township Clerk to witness an agreement with Franklin Miller, Inc. for the purchase of a sewage grinder for the price of \$62,296.00.

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## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Cavel Gallimore, Chief Financial Officer of the Township of North Brunswick, certify that funds in the amount of \$\$\$ are available in Account No. C-08-55-C20-200-100. Contract BID25010

Cavel Gallimore Chief Financial Officer Steve Bloyed Director of Public Works

Justine Progebin Business Administrator Ronald Gordon, Esq. Township Attorney Approved as to legal form

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RICH						
HUTCHINSON						
MEHTA						
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