



Resolution No. 2020 – 105

Date Adopted

Committee

March 18, 2020

Administrative

RESOLUTION REJECTING PROPOSALS SUBMITTED FOR SUPPLYING ONE NEW SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS FILLING STATION-STATIONARY BREATHING AIR COMPRESSOR AND REVOLVE AIR CHARGE STATION FOR THE COUNTY OF SALEM OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

WHEREAS, the Salem County Purchasing Agent as authorized Contracting Agent for the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem requested, received, and opened sealed proposals on March 10, 2020 at 11:30 a.m. prevailing time for Supplying One New Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus Filling Station-Stationary Breathing Air Compressor and Revolve Air Charge Station for the County of Salem Office of Emergency Management; the receipt of which proposals was duly advertised in accordance with the law and in such case made and provided; and

WHEREAS, all proposal results and recommendations for contract award are on file in the Office of the Purchasing Agent, 110 Fifth Street, Salem, New Jersey, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, National Alexander Company a Division of Mid-Atlantic Fire and Air Corporation, submitted a proposal as follows; and

BIDDER	ITEM	PRICE
National Alexander Co.	SCBA Fill Station	\$25,390.00
	Revolve Air Charging Station	\$10,270.00
	Cascade Air Control Panel	\$3,500.00
	Auto Cascade System	\$5,080.00
	Fill Adapter	\$ 0.00
	Low Pressure Regulator	\$1,140.00
	High Pressure Regulator	\$1,340.00
	Dual Pressure Regulator	\$1,780.00
	SCUBA Adapter	\$360.00
	TOTAL Cost	\$48,860.00

WHEREAS, the Director of the Office of Emergency Management has recommended that the bid be rejected and re-bid having determined that a technical change was needed in the bid specification in order to reflect the appropriate quantity of the Revolve Air Charging Station for SCBA bottles needed to be adjusted and that the Compressor Specification outlined as a 10 horsepower unit needed to be a 15 horsepower unit and has recommend that the project be re-bid; and

WHEREAS, the Salem County Administrator and Qualified Purchasing Agent, have determined it to be in the County's best interest to substantially revise the specifications for the goods or services;

pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-13.2 (d); and recommends that the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem reject all bids at this time.

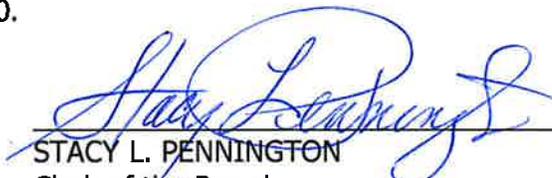
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem as follows:

1. The Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem hereby rejects the proposal submitted for Supplying One New Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus Filling Station-Stationary Breathing Air Compressor and Revolve Air Charge Station for the County of Salem Office of Emergency Management:
2. Be it further resolved that the Board of Chosen Freeholders further stipulates that all bidders be so informed. This shall be completed in full accordance with the provisions and conditions of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-13.2;
3. Be it further resolved that the Board of Chosen Freeholders authorizes the Salem County Emergency Management Director and Qualified Purchasing Agent to revise the Specification and re-issue the bid in order to complete the project within the budgetary estimate and available funding.



 BENJAMIN H. LAURY, Freeholder Director
 Board of Chosen Freeholders

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true resolution adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem on March 18, 2020.



 STACY L. PENNINGTON
 Clerk of the Board

RECORD OF VOTE

FREEHOLDER	RESOLUTION MOVED	RESOLUTION SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
G. Ostrum, Jr.			✓			
C. Hassler	✓		✓			
L. Ware			✓			
R.S. Griscom		✓	✓			
B. Laury			✓			

✓ Indicates Vote

Department Initials Purchasing