



**Date Adopted**

**Committee**

May 20, 2020

Administrative

**RESOLUTION DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND  
AUTHORIZING EMERGENCY REPAIRS TO FIRE ALARM SYSTEM**

**WHEREAS**, the Local Public Contracts Law 40A:11-6 permits a contracting unit to declare an emergency to permit the imminent acquisition of goods or performance of services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Salem County Administrator has determined that an emergency exists at the Salem County Administration Building located at 94 Market Street, Salem with respect to ADA Compliance for the Fire Alarm System which requires upgrades to be made in order to satisfy the NJ Department of Community Affairs Fire Sub-Code Official inspection; and

**WHEREAS**, said fire alarm system is crucial to the operations of the building; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to secure the services of an experienced company to install Siemens fire alarm devices including, but not limited to pull stations, horn/strobes, signal expander and monitor modules a manner that safeguards the safety and welfare of the employees and other users of the building; and

**WHEREAS**, Bevan Security Systems was engaged to replace the fire alarm controls in said building and is familiar with said project; and

**WHEREAS**, outreach had been made to Allied Fire and Safety Equipment Company as well as Fire and Security Technologies through the Educational Services Commission Co-operative with both firms opting to not perform said work; and

**WHEREAS**, Bevan Security Systems has submitted a proposal to complete said repairs; and

**WHEREAS**, the Salem County Treasurer has certified that funding for this contract shall be encumbered in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4 and this agreement shall further be contingent upon the availability and appropriation of sufficient funds contained in the 2020 Budget of the County of Salem under the item ORD #08-06/ACQUISITION REAL PROPERTY (C-04-55-857-008-914).

**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 authorizes an agreement for fire alarm system ADA compliance modifications, subject to the approval of the County Solicitor, to **Bevan Security Systems 190 Tenby Chase Drive, Delran, NJ 08075** in the amount not to exceed \$14,148.00.00 (Fourteen Thousand, One Hundred Forty Eight Dollars and Zero Cents).
2. The contract shall commence upon execution of this agreement and terminate no later than December 31, 2020 and shall be completed in full accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement.

3. The Salem County Freeholder Director and the Clerk of the Board shall be authorized to execute said contracts.

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 May 20, 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



**CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS**

**NOTE TO COUNTY DEPARTMENTS:** This form is to be prepared by each department entering into a contract with a vendor when a resolution is required to be adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Salem.

This form must accompany the resolution, and must be submitted with the resolution to the Finance Officer for approval by the Finance Officer at least one week prior to the Freeholder meeting at which it will be presented for adoption.

The contract/agreement between the County and the vendor shall be further contingent upon availability and appropriation of sufficient funds for this purpose in the County's Temporary and Permanent Budget. *If grant funds are utilized, this contract/agreement is further contingent upon the grants funds availability during the appropriate grant period.*

I, **Kelly A. Hannigan, Treasurer** of the County of Salem, hereby certify in accordance with **Section 5:34-5 of the Local Public Contracts Guidelines and Local Public Contracts Regulations** that adequate funds for the contract listed below are available.

I further certify that the funds are contained in the **OFFICIAL BUDGET** of the County of Salem under the item listed below.

<b>AMOUNT:</b>	\$14,148.00
<b>ACCOUNT NAME:</b>	ORD #08-06/ACQUISITION REAL PROPERTY
<b>ACCOUNT #:</b>	C-04-55-857-008-914
<b>FOR:</b>	Emergency Fire Alarm ADA Changes
<b>DATE:</b>	May 20, 2020
<b>VENDOR:</b>	Bevan Security Systems
	190 Tenby Chase Drive
	Delran, NJ 08075

  
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**Kelly A. Hannigan, Treasurer/Temporary CFO**