

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange has advertised for bids, pursuant to the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law (N. J. S. 40A:11-1) for Moving and Storage of the West Orange Public Library; and

WHEREAS, there were two scenarios requested in the bid as follows:

Scenario One: Moving and Climate Controlled storage provided by the Township

Scenario Two: Moving and Climate Controlled storage provided by the Vendor

WHEREAS, on February 14, 2023, the Township received three (3) bids in response to the Bid Specifications, including: (i) Nelson Westerberg, for \$109,900.00 scenario 1 and \$115,000.00 for scenario 2; (ii) First Class Commercial Services for \$221,630.04 scenario 1 and \$298,529.84 for scenario 2 ; and (iii) General Moving Services for \$486,800.80 scenario 1 and \$493,290.00 for scenario 2 ; and

WHEREAS, the Township Purchasing Agent has certified that the successful bidder has strictly complied with the bid specifications and is the lowest responsible/responsive bidders attached EXHIBIT "A".

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Municipal Council of the Township of West Orange that the Moving and Storage of the West Orange Public Library be awarded as follows:

Nelson Westerberg of New Jersey
180 Meister Avenue
Somerville, NJ 078876-3465
Moving and Climate controlled offsite storage for
\$115,000.00 and \$3000.00 a month additional storage as needed

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Purchasing Department be and is hereby authorized to issue a Purchase Order for the foregoing, same to be executed by the Purchasing Agent on behalf of the Township of West Orange.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Business Administrator is hereby authorized to arrange to pay for the foregoing in accordance with the terms of said Purchase Order on behalf of the Township of West Orange from funds of the Township available for same.

Karen J. Carnevale, R.M.C.
Municipal Clerk

Tammy Williams
Council President

Adopted: February 21, 2023

I hereby certify funds are available from: _____
Account No.

John O. Gross, Chief Financial Officer