

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange proposes the improvement of several streets as part of the 2014 Street Improvement Project funded in the 2014 Capital Budget; and

WHEREAS, to design and specify these improvements the Township requires the services of a professional engineering firm; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer prepared a Request for Proposal dated April 22, 2014 for these professional design services; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer solicited proposals from four professional engineering and land surveying firms: Keller and Kirkpatrick, Inc., of Morris Plains, N.J.; Omland Engineering Associates, Inc., of Cedar Knolls, N.J., Crew Engineers, Inc. of Butler, N.J., and Suburban Consulting Engineers, Inc. of Mt. Arlington, N.J. ;and

WHEREAS, all four firms responded to the Request for Proposals; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer upon review of the proposals determined all four firms were responsive; and

WHEREAS, all four firms previously provided professional engineering services to the Township and their work quality was excellent; and

WHEREAS, by letter dated May 14, 2014 the Township Engineer recommended a professional services contract be awarded to Keller and Kirkpatrick, Inc. of Morris Plains, N.J. for the design, specifications and bid documents of 2014 Street Improvement in accordance with their proposal dated May 12, 2014 in an amount not to exceed \$15,800.00, which is the Base Bid of \$19,000 less \$3,200 to exclude Mayfair Drive and Nestro Road from the design package; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funds exist for the services outlined in the proposal of Keller & Kirkpatrick Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council concurs in the foregoing.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, New Jersey that a professional services contract be awarded to Keller & Kirkpatrick, Inc., 301 Gibraltar Drive, Suite 2A, Morris Plains, N.J. 07950 to provide professional engineering services for the 2014 Street Improvements in accordance with their proposal dated May 12, 2014 for a fee not to exceed \$15,800.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be published in the West Orange Chronicle within ten (10) days of its approval as required by State Statute.

**KAREN CARNEVALE, MUNICIPAL CLERK
PRESIDENT**

SUSAN McCARTNEY, COUNCIL

Adopted: May 20, 2014

I hereby certify funds are available from: **ACCOUNT NO . 03-2137-22-5040-010**
2013 Resurfacing

JOHN GROSS, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER