

**AWARD CONTRACT FOR SNOW PLOWING AND REMOVAL SERVICES
YEARS 2014-2015**

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange has advertised for bids, pursuant to the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A.40A:11-1) for Snow Plowing and Removal Services for year(s) 2014-2015 and received bids on September 25, 2014. Consequently the bids received were rejected through resolution due to the high cost and limited response to the snow plowing options; and

WHEREAS, a re-bid was advertised and received October 30, 2014 and six vendors submitted rates for many of the options listed in the specification; and

WHEREAS, the West Orange Department of Public Works has reviewed the bids received and has recommended that five of the vendors be awarded the Option 1 and 4 portion of the specification. These options represent specific snow plowing routes and snow removal equipment. The Option 2 and 3 portion of the specification will be considered for award separately; and

WHEREAS, hereto is attached Schedule A listing the vendors with the services and rates to be provided.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Municipal Council of the Township of West Orange hereby award a one year service contract for Snow Plowing and Removal Services for the year(s) 2014-2015 to the following vendors listed on Schedule A.

Karen J. Carnevale
Municipal Clerk

Susan McCartney
Council President

I hereby certify funds are available from:

Account: 01-2010-00-7502-113 (Salt, Chloride & Snow)

2014 not exceed \$100,000.00

2015 not exceed \$225,000.00 subject to 2015 budget appropriation

John O. Gross, Chief Financial Officer