

RESOLUTION #164-2020

AUTHORIZING THE INCREASE IN THE CITY'S BID THRESHOLD

WHEREAS, recent changes to the Local Public Contracts Law and have given local municipal contracting units the ability to increase their bid threshold up to \$44,000.00; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-3 & N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4.3, permits an increase in the bid threshold if a Qualified Purchasing Agent (QPA) is appointed as well as granted the authorization to negotiate and award such contracts below the established bid threshold; and

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 5:34-1.2 establishes the criteria for a Qualified Purchasing Agent (QPA); and

WHEREAS, Roger McLarnon possesses the designation of Qualified Purchasing Agent (QPA) as issued by the New Jersey Division of Local Government Services in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:34-5 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the City of Margate City desires to take advantage of the increased bid threshold as adjusted on July 1, 2020 by Governor Philip D. Murphy pursuant to Local Public Finance (LPF) Notice #2020-14 dated June 24, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, New Jersey hereby increases the City's bid threshold to \$44,000.00 and authorizes Roger McLarnon, QPA to negotiate and award such contracts below the established bid threshold; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:34-5.2, the City Clerk of the City of Margate City is hereby authorized and directed to forward a certified copy of this resolution and a copy of Roger McLarnon's Qualified Purchasing Agent (QPA) certification to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.


ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECOND	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Becker			X			
Amodeo		X	X			
Blumberg	X		X			

DATE: August 20, 2020

CERTIFICATION

I, Johanna Casey, Clerk of Margate City, Atlantic County, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the City of Margate City at a meeting of said Commission held on August 20, 2020 and said resolution was adopted by not less than a two-thirds vote of the members of the Commission.


Johanna Casey, RMC, City Clerk