

RESOLUTION # 223-2020
AUTHORIZING REJECTION OF BIDS AND RE-ADVERTISEMENT
FOR 2020 BENSON AVENUE WATER TANK INTERIOR PAINTING PROJECT

WHEREAS, on August 20, 2020 through Resolution #163-2020, the Mayor and Board of Commissioners authorized the receipt of bids for the 2020 Benson Avenue Water Tank Interior Painting Project; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk did duly advertise on October 15, 2020 for the 2020 Benson Avenue Water Tank Interior Painting Project; and

WHEREAS, in connection therewith the following six (6) bids were received by the City Clerk and the City Engineer of the City of Margate City on November 13, 2020:

Guimar General Contractors, 39 Komorn Street, Newark, NJ 07105	\$530,724.00
U.S. Tank Painting, Inc., 900 Rike Drive, Millstone Twp., NJ 08535	\$636,900.00
Allied Painting, Inc., 4 Larwin Road Cherry Hill, NJ 08034	\$690,800.00
Manda Corporation, 78 John Miller Way, Unit 436, Kearny, NJ 07032	\$838,250.00
Bragaton Construction, Inc., 228 E. McClellan Ave., Livingston, NJ 07039	\$844,000.00
Utility Services Company, Inc. 535 Courtney Hodges Boulevard, Perry, GA 31069	\$993,100.00

; and

WHEREAS, City Engineer Edward Dennis of Remington & Vernick Engineers is recommending that the bids be rejected on the 2020 Benson Avenue Water Tank Interior Painting Project since the bids exceeded the engineer's estimate of the project.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate in the County of Atlantic, State of New Jersey, that all bids received are hereby rejected; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City authorize the City Clerk to return the bid bonds to the bidders, and the Clerk is authorized to re-advertise the 2020 Benson Avenue Water Tank Interior Painting Project at a date to be determined.

BE IT RESOLVED that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

1. Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer
2. Frank Ricciotti, Public Works Superintendent
3. Ed Dennis, Remington & Vernick Engineers
4. Guimar General Contractors, 39 Komorn Street, Newark, NJ 07105
5. U.S. Tank Painting, Inc., 900 Rike Drive, Millstone Twp., NJ 08535
6. Allied Painting, Inc. 4 Larwin Road Cherry Hill, NJ 08034
7. Manda Corporation, 78 John Miller Way, Unit 436, Kearny, NJ 07032
8. Bragaton Construction, Inc. 228 E. McClellan Ave., Livingston, NJ 07039
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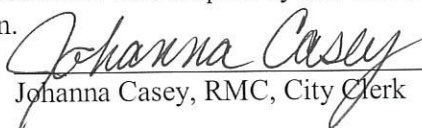
Roll Call

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

DATE: November 19, 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 November 19, 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