

**RESOLUTION #237-2020**  
**AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT OF**  
**SPECIAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**  
**OF JAMES M. RUTALA ASSOCIATES, LLC TO PROVIDE CITY OF MARGATE**  
**PLANNING & GRANT ASSISTANCE**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City has determined it has a need for special professional services of James M. Rutala Associates, LLC for assistance to the City of Margate City with the implementation of 2021 Planning and Grant Assistance; and

**WHEREAS**, James M. Rutala Associates, LLC submitted a proposal of \$24,000.00 for 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, this Contract is awarded without competitive bidding because it is a Professional Services Contract and is an exception to the Local Public Contracts Law, *N.J.S.A. 40:11A-5 (1)(a)(i)*; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has certified to the City Commissioners that there are sufficient funds in an amount not to exceed \$24,000.00 available under Financial Admin-Professional Fees 1-01-20-135-301 for award of this contract.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Margate City, County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute and the City Clerk to attest to a contract in an amount not to exceed \$24,000.00 between the City of Margate City and James M. Rutala Associates, LLC, 717 River Drive, Linwood, NJ 08221 for the performance of the above noted matter.
2. This contract is awarded without competitive bidding because it is a Professional Services Contract and is an exception to the Local Public Contracts Law *N.J.S.A. 40:11A-5 (1)(a)(i)*.
3. The contract shall not exceed twelve consecutive months in accordance with *N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5*.

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

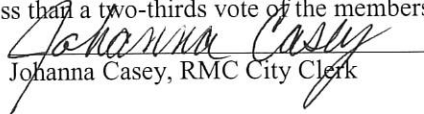
1. Lisa McLaughlin, Chief Financial Officer
2. Jim Rutala, James M. Rutala Associates, LLC, 717 River Drive, Linwood, NJ 08221

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker		X	X			
Amodeo	X		X			
Blumberg			X			

DATE: December 3, 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 December 3, 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