

RESOLUTION NO. 2018- 324

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT AWARD TO A STATE CONTRACT VENDOR, ASPLUNDH TREE EXPERT CO., WILLOW GROVE, PA, FOR TREE TRIMMING AND REMOVAL SERVICES FOR OH LINE CLEARANCE.

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12 and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29(c), may by resolution and without advertising for bids, purchase any goods or services under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program for any State contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property in the Department of the Treasury; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland intends to enter into a contract with a State Contract Vendor for Tree Trimming and Removal Services for OH Line Clearance, through this resolution and properly executed contracts, which shall be subject to all the conditions applicable to the current State contracts;

WHEREAS, it has been recommended that a contract be awarded to Asplundh Tree Expert Co., Willow Grove, PA (A-80905), in an amount not to exceed \$150,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the availability of funds for said contract to be awarded herein have been certified by the Chief Financial Officer; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland has certified that this meets the statute and regulations governing the award of said contracts;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VINELAND, as follows:

1. THAT this contract for Tree Trimming and Removal Services for OH Line Clearance is awarded pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12a and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29(c), under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program.
2. THAT the Purchasing Agent be and the same is hereby authorized to issue a contract to Asplundh Tree Expert Co., Willow Grove, PA, for Tree Trimming and Removal Services for OH Line Clearance, for the contract period July 1, 2018 through October 31, 2018, in an amount not to exceed \$150,000.00.

Adopted:

President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk

REQUEST FOR RESOLUTION
FOR COOPERATIVE CONTRACT AWARDS
UNDER 40A:11-12, N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29 & LFN 2012-10
(REQUIRED FOR PURCHASES OVER \$17,500.00)



7-18-18
(DATE)

1. Goods or Services (detailed description): TREE TRIMMING & REMOVAL SERVICES FOR OH LINE CLEARANCE

2. Amount to be Awarded: \$ 150,000.00

- Encumber Total Award
 Encumber by Supplemental Release

3. Budgeted: By Ordinance No. 2018
Or Grant: Title & Year _____

4. **Account Number to be Charged: 002-0-54-90-9003-2-7023382 (E593)

5. Contract Period (if applicable): JULY 1st, 2018 thru OCTOBER 31st, 2018

6. Date to be Awarded: ASAP!

7. Recommended Vendor and Address: ASPLUNDH Tree Expert Co.
708 Blair Mill Rd, Willow Grove, PA 19090

8. Justification for Vendor Recommendation:(attach add'l information for Council review)
Nationally recognized Utility Tree Service Contractor qualified to perform tree clearance on energized OH power lines with over three decades experience with VMU and services provided under NJ State Contract A-80905

Type of Contract: State National Regional County

Vendor's Cooperative Contract # A-80905

9. Evaluation Performed by: John Boyle, Asst. G.M. VMU *John Boyle* 7/18/18

10. Approved by: *John Lillis* 7-25-18

11. Attachments:
 Awarding Proposal
 Other: NJ STATE CONTRACT EXTENSION

- Send copies to: Purchasing Department
Business Administration

**If more than one account #, provide break down

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