

BOROUGH OF BRADLEY BEACH

RESOLUTION 2023-240

**AUTHORIZATION TO AWARD THE PARK PLACE AVENUE – PHASE I
IMPROVEMENT PROJECT TO FERNANDES CONSTRUCTION
IN THE AMOUNT OF \$559,187.30**

Mayor Fox offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Bradley Beach have determined that there is a need for the acquisition of the following goods and services:

PARK PLACE AVENUE PHASE I IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

WHEREAS, a notice of advertisement for a re-bid and an invitation to the re-bid were prepared and advertised in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were opened and read on Friday, September 15, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. in accordance with the requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, six (6) bids were received as follows:

BIDDER	AMOUNT
Earle Asphalt Company	\$607,113.13
Black Rock Enterprises	\$681,535.95
Fiore Paving	\$607,045.40
Fernandes Construction	\$559,187.30
Z Brothers	\$800,652.00
Seacoast Construction	\$752,434.90

WHEREAS, Gregory C. Fehrenbach, Interim Borough Administrator and Bennett Matlack, P.E, CME, CFM Borough Engineer, have reviewed the bids and recommend that the award of contract be made to **Fernandes Construction** as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, Greg Cannon, the Borough Attorney has reviewed the bid proposal package of the lowest bidder, and declares them to be in conformance with the Borough's Instructions to Bidders and the Local Public Contracts Law and recommends an award of contract to **Fernandes Construction** as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, funds are available to make such purchase or acquisition and have been certified as such by Anthony Mannino, Chief Financial Officer.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Bradley Beach, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. An award of contract for the **Park Place Avenue Phase I Improvement Project** as outlined hereinabove, is hereby made to **Fernandes Construction, 25 Stonegate Drive, Monroe, N.J. 08831** in the amount of \$559,187.30 as the lowest responsible bidder.
2. The Mayor and Municipal Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Borough standard form of Contract for Goods and Services reference herein and made a part of this award of contract as well as any non-substantive modifications thereto and related constituent documents.
3. The Municipal Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Qualified Purchasing Agent, Chief Financial Officer, Borough Engineer, Borough Attorney and Fernandes Construction.

Seconded by Councilperson _____ and adopted upon the following vote:

AYES NAYS ABSTAIN ABSENT

Ms. DeMarco
Ms. DeNoble
Mr. Gubitosi
Mr. Weber
Mayor Fox

CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER'S CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that legally appropriated funds are available in the following account:

C-04-82-933-000-901 - \$373,193.00
S-06-85-558-000-501 - \$176,187.30

Anthony Mannino
Chief Financial Officer

CERTIFICATION

I, Erica Kostyz, Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bradley Beach, Monmouth County, New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Governing Body at the September 27, 2023 Council Business Meeting.

Erica Kostyz, RMC, CMR
Municipal Clerk