

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY
County of Camden, State of New Jersey
#R 044 - 2024

RESOLUTION CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY
AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS WITHOUT COMPETITIVE
BIDDING IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6 TO PERMIT EMERGENCY
REPAIR SERVICES FOR THE WELL #41 PUMP EQUIPMENT

WHEREAS, the City of Gloucester City (“City”) received a report of the failure of Well #41 pump equipment where it is assumed that the pump has failed and will need to be pulled from the well, inspected and serviced or replaced prior to the well returning online, leaving the City operating on only two (2) wells (Well #42 and Well #43); and

WHEREAS, in the event of a failure of either one (1) of the two (2) remaining online wells, the City will be in jeopardy of providing sufficient capacity to meet system demand, therefore failure to take immediate and emergent action would have resulted in a public health and safety hazard; and

WHEREAS, Kristin Gault, PE, has issued correspondence dated January 16, 2024, outlining the nature of the emergency, the need for immediate action and has rendered an opinion that the public health safety and welfare of the residents and of the general public would be affected if not repaired immediately; and

WHEREAS, this emergency was not reasonably foreseeable by the City; and

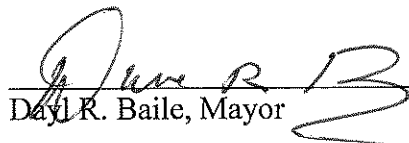
WHEREAS, the authorization to complete the required repair work is limited to meet immediate needs; and

WHEREAS, the City Solicitor has rendered an opinion dated January 17, 2024 that the Award of a Contract is permitted by law as an exception to the Local Public Contracts Law in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6; and

WHEREAS, the City is satisfied that an emergency exists.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester City, County of Camden, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The provisions of the WHEREAS clauses set forth above are incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof.
2. The expenditure of funds is authorized without competitive bidding in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6 which permits emergency repair services for the repair of Well #41 Pump Equipment.
3. The City's Acting Administrator and/or his designee is directed to take any and all actions necessary to effectuate the repair authorized herein.


Dayl R. Baile, Mayor

Passed by the Mayor and Common Council of Gloucester City this 22nd day of January, 2024.


Vanessa L. Little, City Clerk