

TOWNSHIP OF UPPER DEERFIELD

RESOLUTION 20-92

AWARDING CONTRACT TO NEW JERSEY EMERGENCY VEHICLES PL CUSTOM BODY & EQUIP CO INC. FOR THE PURCHASE OF A 2020 FORD F-550 4X4 / PL CUSTOM CLASSIC AMBULANCE

WHEREAS, the Upper Deerfield Emergency Medical Services (“Department”) recommends that Upper Deerfield Township procure an 2020 F-550 Classic Custom Ambulance for use by the Department; and

WHEREAS, the Department has researched vendors that would achieve the Department’s goals and determined that the sought-after equipment may be procured through a nationally-recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing contract between Sourcewell (NJPA) and PL Custom Body & Equip Co. Inc.; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to *N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2b. (3)* (as amended by *P.L. 2011, c.139*) and LFN 2012-10, a New Jersey municipality may purchase goods and services without public bidding under the Local Public Contracts Law through the use of a nationally-recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing contract that has been developed utilizing a competitive bidding or contracting process by another contracting unit within New Jersey or another state; and

WHEREAS, Sourcewell is a regional organization of governments operating under the laws of the State of Minnesota and is a political subdivision of the State of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, the subject cooperative purchasing contract was awarded by Sourcewell to NJ Emergency Vehicles a PL Custom Company utilizing a competitive contracting process; and

WHEREAS, also pursuant to *N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2b.(3)* (as amended by *P.L. 2011, c.139*) and LFN 2012-10, prior to making purchases under nationally-recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing contracts, the municipality must determine that the use of the cooperative purchasing contract shall result in cost savings after all factors, including charges for service, material, and delivery, have been considered; and

WHEREAS, the Department has determined that Upper Deerfield’s use of the Sourcewell cooperative purchasing contract to procure the sought-after custom ambulance will result in cost savings to Upper Deerfield; and

WHEREAS, consistent with the Sourcewell cooperative purchasing contract and needs of Upper Deerfield, NJ Emergency Vehicles has submitted a proposal to provide one custom classic ambulance to Upper Deerfield for the sum of \$233,543.00; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that sufficient funds are available for this purchase.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township of Upper Deerfield,

1. The foregoing “WHEREAS” clauses are hereby incorporated as if fully restated.
2. A contract for the purchase of a 2020 F-550 4x4 / PL Custom Classic Ambulance for the sum of \$233,543.00 is hereby awarded to New Jersey Emergency Vehicles A PL Custom Company without public bidding as permitted by law.
3. The Township Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to execute an “End User Agreement” with NJ Emergency Vehicles A PL Custom Company pursuant to the terms of its nationally-recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing agreement with the Sourcewell.

Moved By: John T. O'Neill, Sr.

Seconded By: John L. Daddario

VOTING

James P. Crilley

John L. Daddario

John T. O'Neill, Sr.

Bruce T. Peterson

Scott Smith

<u>In Favor</u>	<u>Against</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Absent</u>
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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of Resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield, in the County of Cumberland, at a meeting thereof held June 4, 2020.

Roy J. Spoltore, Township Clerk

