TOWNSHIP OF UPPER DEERFIELD

RESOLUTION 20-171

AWARDING BID TO RICKY SLADE CONSTRUCTION INC. FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF PLEASANT DRIVE, MERLIN DRIVE AND WOODMONT CIRCLE

WHEREAS, the Township of Upper Deerfield authorized bids with respect to the reconstruction of Pleasant Drive, Merlin Drive and Woodmont Circle; and

WHEREAS, bids were received on October 15, 2020 from South State Inc. - \$308,111.70 and from Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. - \$273,000.00; and

WHEREAS, Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. of Bridgeton, New Jersey, submitted the lowest total bid in the amount of \$273,000.00 as set forth in the bid specifications; and

WHEREAS, the Engineer has recommended that the bid be awarded to Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$273,000.00 as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield is desirous of awarding the contract for the bid to Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. as aforesaid; and

WHEREAS, the award of the aforesaid bid to Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. is in accordance with the provisions of Pay to Play, <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:44A-20.4, et seq. in that the bids were publicly advertised and awarded; and

WHEREAS, funds are available for the base bid contract and have been certified by the local finance officer; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield that the bid of Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. be and is hereby accepted and that the Mayor and Clerk be and are hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the reconstruction of Pleasant Drive, Merlin Drive and Woodmont Circle in the amount of \$273,000.00 pursuant to a contract in a form satisfactory to the Solicitor of the Township of Upper Deerfield; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that bid bonds may be returned to unsuccessful bidders; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield that a copy of this Resolution shall remain on file with the Clerk of the Township of Upper Deerfield and available for public inspection and notice of the award of bid printed in the official newspaper of the Township of Upper Deerfield.

Moved By: Bruce Peterson

Seconded By: John O'Neill

VOTING	In Favor	<u>Against</u>	Abstain	Absent
James P. Crilley	Х			
John L. Daddario	Х			
John T. O'Neill, Sr.	Х			
Bruce T. Peterson	X			
Scott Smith				Х

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 October 15, 2020.

Roy J. Spoltore, Township Clerk