

**RESOLUTION # 34-14**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT TO TJD ARCHITECTS & ENGINEERS PC FOR DESIGN OF OLD COOPER BUILDING AND CANOE HOUSE ROOF REPLACEMENT AND REPAIRS**

WHEREAS, the City of Bridgeton is in need of professional services with respect to architectural/engineering design, preparation of documents and drawings, specifications for public bid, bidding review, and construction administration for the roof replacement and masonry restoration and bridge structure for the Old Cooper Building and roof replacement for the Canoe House; and

WHEREAS, such services are professional services by a recognized profession and are, therefore, exempt pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1, et seq.); and

WHEREAS, the award of the aforesaid contract is in compliance with Pay to Play, N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4, et seq. in that the contractor has certified that no reportable political contributions have been made in the past 12 months nor will any reportable contributions be made in the succeeding 12 months;

WHEREAS, funds are available through Ordinance 13-18 and have been certified by the Chief Financial Officer; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1, et seq.) requires that the resolution authorizing the award of contracts for professional services without competitive bids, and the contract itself, must be available for public inspection;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Bridgeton as follows that the Mayor and the Clerk are hereby authorized to enter into a professional services agreement with TJD Architects & Engineers PC not to exceed \$8,200 for the Old Cooper House and \$3,200 for the Canoe House above stated services plus reimbursable expenses not to exceed \$1,000 in accordance with the proposal submitted pursuant to a contract the form of which shall be satisfactory to the Solicitor of the City of Bridgeton.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Bridgeton held on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2014.

ATTEST:

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Darlene J. Richmond, RMC, City Clerk

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Jack Surrency, Council President

APPROVED:

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Albert B. Kelly, Mayor