

**TOWNSHIPSHIP OF HOPEWELL
MERCER COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

R E S O L U T I O N #23-78

**RESOLUTION TO AWARD DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS VEHICLE
BID TO THE CAUSEWAY FAMILY OF DEALERSHIPS FOR BIDS 22-17/22R-17**

WHEREAS the Township of Hopewell has a need for Ford Super Duty F350 or equivalents, for the daily operations of the Department of Public Works; and

WHEREAS, the Township had sought to obtain a vendor through two (2) bids, 22-17, and 22R-17; and

WHEREAS the Township availed itself of the negotiations remedy under the New Jersey Local Publics Contract Law at N.J.S.A.40A:11-5(3), through Resolution #23-32 on January 9, 2023; and

WHEREAS, on January 20, 2023, the Township representatives engaged in negotiations with the Causeway Family of Dealerships, Route 72 Manahawkin, N.J., in accord with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(3) for the terms and tenets as contained within bids 22-17/ 22R-17; and

WHEREAS the Causeway Family of Dealerships, Route 72, Manahawkin, N.J. has proposed to provide one (1) Ford Super Duty F350, consistent with vehicles sought in bids 22-17/22R-17, acceptable to the Township and consistent with bid specifications, in the amount of \$69,323.70; and

WHEREAS the Chief Financial Officer certifies funding is available in the amount of \$69,323.70 from

Line Item: x-04-00-679-605

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Hopewell, in the County of Mercer as follows:

The Causeway Family of Dealerships is hereby awarded the contract to provide for one (1) Ford Super Duty F350, acceptable to the Township and consistent with specifications as contained within bids 22-17/22R-17 in the amount of \$69,323.70.

Date Adopted: February 6, 2023

CERTIFICATION

I, Katherine Fenton-Newman, Municipal Clerk, of the Township of Hopewell, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Township Committee at the regular meeting held on the 6th day of February, 2023, in the Municipal Building Auditorium, Hopewell Township, New Jersey, and via Zoom Video Communications.



Katherine Fenton-Newman, CMR, RMC
Municipal Clerk