

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

**R E S O L U T I O N #24-212**

**RESOLUTION TO AWARD PRINTING SERVICES ITEM 4, FOR BID # 24R-06 IN A  
FAIR AND OPEN MANNER AND REJECTION OF ITEM 3**

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Hopewell has a need for printing services procured in accord with the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et. Seq.), and

**WHEREAS**, the Township advertised and received four (4) bids in a fair and open manner in accord with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5 on May 2, 2024 at 11:00 A, M, and

**WHEREAS**, the following bidders were the lowest responsible bidder in their respective categories:

<b>Item # 3 Senior Newsletter</b>	Courier Printing Corp	Roelynn Litho	Indiana Printing and Publishing Company, Inc.	Jon-Da Printing Inc.
Year 1	\$0.967	No unit price	\$0.7890	No unit price
x700 x 12 months (8400)	\$10,752.00	\$8,998.00	\$7,219.80	\$5,220.00
Year 2	\$0.967	no unit price	\$0.8430	no unit price
x700 x 12 months (8400)	\$11,004.00	\$10,188.00	\$7,504.56	\$5,220.00
<b>Item # 3 ALTERNATE Senior Newsletter</b>	Courier Printing Corp	Roelynn Litho	Indiana Printing and Publishing Company, Inc.	Jon-Da Printing Inc.
Year 1	\$1.088	no unit price	\$1.4220	no unit price
x700 x 12 months (8400)	\$10,752.00	\$15,888.00	\$7,219.80	\$7,620 + Postage
Year 2	\$1.088	no unit price	\$1.4788	no unit price
x700 x 12 months (8400)	\$11,004.00	\$17,952.00	\$7,504.56	\$7,620 + Postage
<b>Item # 4 Program Brochure</b>	Courier Printing Corp	Roelynn Litho	Indiana Printing and Publishing Company, Inc.	Jon-Da Printing Inc.
Year 1	\$0.687	NO BID	\$0.5299	no unit price
10,500 * 2 times per year (21,000)	\$12,180.00		\$11,127.90	16pg folded \$7,325.00 28pg not folded \$12,600.00
Year 2	\$0.687	NO BID	\$0.5511	No unit price
10,500 * 2 times per year (21,000)	\$12,474.00		\$11,573.10	16pg folded \$7,325.00 28pg not folded \$12,600.00

; and

**WHEREAS**, Indiana Printing and Publishing Company, Inc., 775 Indian Springs Road Indiana, Pennsylvania, 15701 was determined to be the lowest responsible bidder for item 4; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the recommendation to award Indiana Printing and Publishing Company, Inc., 775 Indian Springs Road, Indiana, Pennsylvania, 15701 for item 4 for a two (2) year contract with extensions in accord with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-15; and

**WHEREAS**, the bid for items 3 exceeded cost estimates for the services; and

**WHEREAS**, the New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law at N.J.S.A. 40A:11-13.2(a) allows for a Township to reject bids when:

**“40A:11-13.2. Rejection of bids; reasons**

A contracting unit may reject all bids for any of the following reasons:

- a. The lowest bid substantially exceeds the cost estimates for the goods or services”; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the recommendation to reject all bids for item 3; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hopewell, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, that the bid submitted by Indiana Printing and Publishing Company, Inc., 775 Indian Springs Road, Indiana, Pennsylvania, 15701 for item 4 for a two (2) year contract with extensions in accord with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-15; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** all bids submitted for bid 24R-06 item 3 are hereby rejected in accord with N.J.S.A.40A:11-13.2(a).

Date Adopted: June 10, 2024

**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 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 2024, in the Municipal Building Auditorium, Hopewell Township, New Jersey and via Zoom Video Communications.



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Katherine Fenton-Newman

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Municipal Clerk