## **RESOLUTION #2022 - 48**

## RESOLUTION OF THE MANTUA TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY AUTHORIZING PARTIAL PAYMENT NO. 1 TO B & H CONTRACTING, INC., FOR THE AUSTIN STREET PUMPING STATION IMPROVEMENTS & FORCE MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT (CONTRACT B)

**WHEREAS**, the Mantua Township Municipal Utilities Authority (MTMUA), with its principal place of business at 401 Main Street, Mantua, New Jersey 08051 entered into a contract with **B & H Contracting, Inc.**, of Folsom, New Jersey for the Austin Street Pumping Station Improvements & Force Main Replacement Project (Contract B); and

**WHEREAS**, B & H Contracting, Inc., is seeking partial payment in the amount of **\$47,627.60**, representing payment for a portion of the mobilization, the furnish and install permanent bypass pumping connection, and the furnish and install 6" CLDIP piping from permanent bypass pumping connection to onsite force main connection to Contract "A" pipe; and

**WHEREAS**, **B & H Contracting**, **Inc**., is further seeking partial payment for a portion of the modify/widen pumping station foundation to accommodate proposed pumping station footprint, and a portion of the construct support structure for exterior electrical equipment with reinforced concrete pad; and

**WHEREAS**, all certification letters for payment that are subject to the American Iron and Steel (AIS) requirements have been received or shall be submitted as part of payment release; and

**WHEREAS**, the progress of the work completed has been reviewed and verified and Partial Payment No. 1 is hereby recommended in the amount of **\$47,647.60** pursuant to the recommendation of the MTMUA project engineer David S. Palgutta, PE, CME by letter dated November 9, 2022, which is incorporated herein at length; and

**WHEREAS**, there are contingencies that must be met before payment is released as outlined in the November 9, 2022 Sickles & Associates, Inc. letter, incorporated herein at length, that requires the Contractor and all Subcontractors submit: **1.** Certified payrolls in accordance with both New Jersey State Wage Rates and the Davis Bacon Wager Rates for this and all prior pay periods over the duration of this Contract, **2.** Current Monthly Project Workforce Report – Construction (New Jersey Form AA-202) for this and all prior pay periods over the duration of this contract, and **3.** Documentation and continuing

submission of information regarding its Good Faith Efforts to meet minority and women project participation requirements pursuant to NJIB-NJDEP for this and all prior pay periods over the duration of this contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mantua Township Municipal Utilities Authority hereby authorizes partial payment No. 1 to B & H Contracting, Inc. in the amount of \$47,647.60 for the work completed regarding the Austin Street Pumping Station Improvements & Force Main Replacement Project (Contract B) as reflected in the Sickles & Associates, Inc. November 9, 2022 letter contingent upon B & H Contracting, Inc. complying with the aforesaid requirements as detailed in the November 9, 2022 letter and confirmed to the MTMUA by Sickles & Associates.

**DULY ADOPTED** at the Meeting of the Mantua Township Municipal Utilities Authority held on November 15, 2022.

The Mantua Township Municipal Utilities Authority

Bv:

Timothy Sheehan, Chairman

ATTEST:

John Parks, Secretary

MARIO DILISCIANDRO

VICE - OHARMAN

## Governing Body

## Recorded Vote Res. 2022-48 Partial Payment No. 1

Member	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Timothy Sheehan, Chairman	V			
Mario Dilisciandro, Vice Chair	/			
John Parks, Secretary				
Daniel Hauss, Treasurer	/			
Victor Torino, Engineering Coordinator	<b>/</b>			
Howard Bruner, Alternate #1				/
VACANT, Alternate #2				