

RESOLUTION #2024 - 20

**RESOLUTION OF THE MANTUA TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL
UTILITIES AUTHORITY AUTHORIZING FINAL PAYMENT NO. 9
TO B & H CONTRACTING, INC., FOR THE
AUSTIN STREET PUMPING STATION IMPROVEMENTS
AND 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 and Force Main Replacement Project (Contract B); and

WHEREAS, **B & H Contracting, Inc.**, is seeking final payment in the amount of **\$14,025.04**, representing payment for the furnish and install new chain-link fence sections, and the retainage withheld from previous payment applications; and

WHEREAS, during the construction of the project Change Order No. 1 was needed to adjust the final as-built quantities and to extend the Contract Time to allow for the proper completion of the Contract that resulted in an overall decrease in the Contract Amount of \$17,748.14. The final revised Contract Amount is \$649,801.86; and

WHEREAS, the progress of the work completed has been reviewed and verified and Final Payment No. 9 is hereby recommended in the amount of **\$14,025.04** pursuant to the recommendation of the MTMUA project engineer David S. Palgutta, P.E., CME by letter dated January 30, 2024, which is incorporated herein at length; and

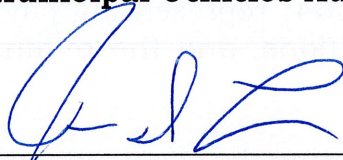
WHEREAS, there are contingencies that must be met before payment is released as outlined in the January 30, 2024 Sickles & Associates, Inc. letter, incorporated herein at length, that requires: **1.** Approval of Change Order No. 1 **2.** Performance and payment bonds are to remain in effect until one (1) year after the date when final payment becomes due or until completion of the correction period specified in Paragraph 15.08, whichever is later, except as provided otherwise by Laws or Regulations, the Supplementary Conditions, or other specific provisions of the Contract, and **3.** The original performance and payment bonds are included within the copy of the Authority's Contract Agreement. As such, based upon the approval of this final payment, the work associated with this project is complete and the maintenance/correction period will commence on February 6, 2024 and continue for a one (1) year period as per

the Contract Documents. The maintenance/correction period will expire on February 6, 2025.

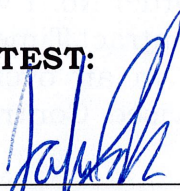
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mantua Township Municipal Utilities Authority hereby authorizes final payment No. 9 to **B & H Contracting, Inc.** in the amount of **\$14,025.04** for the work completed regarding the Austin Street Pumping Station Improvements and Force Main Replacement Project as reflected in the Sickles & Associates, Inc. January 30, 2024 letter contingent upon **B & H Contracting, Inc.** complying with the aforesaid requirements as detailed in said January 30, 2024 letter and confirmed to the MTMUA by Sickles & Associates.

DULY ADOPTED at the Meeting of the Mantua Township Municipal Utilities Authority held on February 6, 2024.

**The Mantua Township
Municipal Utilities Authority**

By: 

Mario Dilisciandro, Chairman

ATTEST:


John Parks, Secretary

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Final Payment No. 9 B&H**

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