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**TO:** Board of Acquisition and Contract

**FROM:** Vincent F. Kopicki, P.E.  
Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation

**DATE:** February 21, 2017

**SUBJECT:** Resolution for Authority to Advertise  
Contract No. 17-201  
Service Contract for Snow & Ice Removal  
Westchester County Government Center  
White Plains, New York

The 2017 Operating Budget contains funds for the above referenced project.

The work under this contract consists of providing all necessary labor, material and equipment required to provide snow and ice removal services of all parking lots and pedestrian areas for the Westchester County Government Center, White Plains, New York. This contract is for a term of three (3) years with one two (2) year renewal at the discretion of the County.

The objective of this contract is to maintain parking lots and pedestrian areas at County facilities free from snow and ice.

This contract is in the public's best interest because it will promote the health and safety of the general public by providing safe travel ways for both pedestrian and vehicular traffic at County facilities.

As expenditures are made pursuant to this authorization, detailed records will be kept in the County's on-line financial system. These records will be easily accessible by Finance, Budget and department staff and will be reviewed regularly to ensure that funds are used appropriately.

# RESOLUTION

Upon communication from the Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation, be it

**RESOLVED**, that the Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation be and hereby is authorized to solicit bids by public advertisement on the following contract:

**CONTRACT NO. 17-201**  
 Service Contract for Snow & Ice Removal  
 Westchester County Government Center  
 White Plains, New York

and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that adequate and sufficient security for the faithful performance of this contract shall be deemed to be retainage of 5% of all work completed on an annual basis. Upon each annual anniversary the contractor may request payment of said retainage with the successful completion of all work performed during that period; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that this advertisement for bids will state that pursuant to Chapter 308 of the Laws of the County of Westchester, the policy of the County is to encourage the meaningful and significant participation on County contracts for business enterprises owned by persons of color and women - Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women Business Enterprise (WBE); and be it further

**RESOLVED**, that such advertisement shall appear in the following County newspaper(s):

**THE JOURNAL NEWS (Westchester-Putnam Edition)**

Account to be Charged/Credited	Fund	Dept.	Major Program, Program & Phase Or Unit	Object/ Sub Object	Trust Account	Dollars
	101	46	2000	4250		

**Budget Funding Year(s):** 2017-2020      **Start Date:** \_\_\_\_\_      **End Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (must match resolution)

**Funding Source:**      **Tax Dollars** 100% County

**State Aid** \_\_\_\_\_

**\$** \_\_\_\_\_      **Federal Aid** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (must match resolution)

**Other** \_\_\_\_\_