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TO: Board of Acquisition and Contract

FROM: Jay T. Pisco, PE
Commissioner, Department of Public Works and Transportation

DATE: January 14, 2014

SUBJECT: Authorization to extend the term of Agreement No. 09-905 with
Dvirka and Bartilucci Consulting Engineers until December 31, 2016

Authority of your Honorable Board is requested to extend the term of Agreement No. 09-905 between the County of Westchester and Dvirka and Bartilucci Consulting Engineers, 330 Crossways Park Drive, Woodbury, New York 11797, for the provision of engineering services associated with the Highland Avenue Pump Station Rehabilitation, Peekskill Sewer District, Peekskill, New York, until December 31, 2016. The original Agreement was executed on April 15, 2009 and is for a total amount not to exceed \$378,000.00. The original Agreement completion date was December 31, 2013.

The County has been satisfied with the quality of services provided to date. However, due to delays with construction bonding and contract award, the overall project schedule has been delayed. Therefore, the professional services of Dvirka and Bartilucci Consulting Engineers will be required beyond the original completion date. Attached is a Resolution requesting an extension of the agreement until December 31, 2016 with no increase in the not to exceed amount of \$378,000.00.

The objective of this project is to rehabilitate essential systems and components at the Highland Avenue Pump Station, which functions as the pump station for the Peekskill Wastewater Treatment Plant. This work is necessary to improve the energy efficiency and reliability of the pump station's integral systems. Neglecting to upgrade these critical elements of the pump station may result in a failure, including the occurrence of a sewage overflow emergency that could allow sewage into the surrounding properties and cause violations of the pump station's State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (SPDES) Permit. This agreement will benefit the public as it will ensure that the pump station's operations are safe and environmentally compliant, thereby enhancing the health and general welfare of the residents of Westchester County.

The department will track scheduling and accomplishments by the consultant and perform on-site inspections to ensure the successful completion of tasks. It is recognized and understood that the County shall evaluate the performance of this contract by the consultant and shall use such evaluation in deciding to award future contracts to the consultant.

I urge your favorable consideration of the annexed proposed Resolution.

RESOLUTION

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

RESOLVED, that the County of Westchester, acting by and through its Department of Public Works and Transportation, ("County") be and is hereby authorized to amend Agreement No. 09-905 with Dvirka and Bartilucci Consulting Engineers, 330 Crossways Park Drive, Woodbury, New York 11797 for the provision of engineering services in connection with the Highland Avenue Pump Station Rehabilitation, Peekskill Sewer District, Peekskill, New York by extending the term until December 31, 2016; and be it further

RESOLVED, that all other terms and conditions of Agreement No. 09-905, including the not to exceed amount of \$378,000.00 shall remain the same; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive or his duly authorized designee, is hereby authorized and empowered to execute any and all documents necessary and appropriate to effectuate the purposes hereof.

Original Agreement:	\$378,000.00	(Design and Construction Administration Services)
This Amendment:	<u>\$ 0.00</u>	(Term Extension Only)
Total:	\$378,000.00	

Agreement No. 09-905

Account to be Charged/credited	Fund	Dept	Major Program, Program & Phase Or Unit	Object/ Sub Object	Trust Account	Dollars
	322	60	SPK0800E	6120-03		
	322	60	SPK0800I	6120-05		

Budget Funding Year(s) 2014 Start Date March 15, 2009 End Date December 31, 2016
 (must match resolution)

Funding Source	Tax Dollars <u>100% County</u>
	State Aid _____
	Federal Aid _____
\$ _____ (must match resolution)	Other _____