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Date: November 17, 2020

To: Board of Acquisition and Contract

From: Hugh J. Greechan, Jr., P.E.
Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation

Re: Resolution authorizing the County of Westchester to consent to the assignment of an agreement with Summit Security Services, Inc. for Security Guard Services at Various Locations, Westchester County, New York, to Universal Protection Service LLC d/b/a Allied Universal Security Services, effective on or about October 16, 2020. (Agreement No. 19-200)

By a Resolution approved on January 24, 2019, your Honorable Board authorized the County of Westchester to enter into Contract No. DPW 19-200 with Summit Security Services, Inc., ("Summit") for Security Guard Services at Various Locations, Westchester County, New York, which was procured through the New York State Office of General Services Contract Award Number 23106, for the period of January 24, 2019 through January 23, 2024, in an amount not to exceed \$4,861,000.00 (the "Agreement"). The Agreement was subsequently executed.

The County was recently notified that Universal Protection Service, LLC d/b/a Allied Universal Security Services ("Allied Universal") has acquired Summit. In addition, the County was advised by the New York State Office of General Services that all of Summit's agreements awarded pursuant to New York State Office of General Services Contract Award Number 23106 will be assigned to Allied Universal, subject to the consent of the awarding municipalities and Allied Universal will assume all of Summit's obligations under the Agreement. Accordingly, authority is requested for the County to consent to the assignment of the Agreement for Security Guard Services at Various Locations from Summit to Allied Universal, effective on or about October 16, 2020.

The objective of the Agreement and proposed assignment are to maintain a security presence at various County buildings and facilities located throughout Westchester County. This Agreement and assignment is in the public's best interest because it will promote the health and safety of the general public by supplementing the County's full time security forces in order to provide adequate coverage at various County buildings and 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.

Accordingly, approval of the attached resolution is respectfully requested.

HJG/jpi

RESOLUTION

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

RESOLVED, that the County of Westchester, is hereby authorized to consent to the assignment of Contract No. DPW 19-200 with Summit Security Services, Inc. for Security Guard Services at Various Locations, Westchester County, New York (“Contract No. DPW 19-200”), to Universal Protection Service, LLC doing business as Allied Universal Security Services, effective on or about October 16, 2020; and be it further

RESOLVED, that all other terms and conditions of Contract No. DPW 19-200 shall remain the same; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the County Executive or his duly authorized designee is hereby authorized to execute the above agreements on behalf of the County of Westchester.

Account to be Charged/Credited	Fund	Dept.	Major Program, Program & Phase Or Unit	Object/ Sub Object	Trust Account	Dollars
	101	46	3200	4380		N/A
	101	46	3300	4380		N/A
	165	42	7150	4380		N/A

Budget Funding Year(s) 2020-2024 **Start Date:** Upon Execution **End Date:** January 23, 2024
(must match resolution)

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

State Aid _____

\$ N/A **Federal Aid** _____

(must match resolution)

Other _____