

CITY OF CAPE MAY, COUNTY OF CAPE MAY, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION NO. 198-10-2019

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE
PROVISION OF NATURAL GAS SUPPLY SERVICE
FOR THE SOUTH JERSEY POWER COOPERATIVE**

MOTION:

SECOND:

WHEREAS, the South Jersey Power Cooperative (SJPC) is a purchasing cooperative that consists of various counties and their participating co-op members, and includes numerous municipalities, K-12 school districts, vocational-technical schools, utilities authorities and other municipal agencies. City of Cape May is a Participating Member of the SJPC through our respective county pricing co-operative; and

WHEREAS, the County of Camden is the current and acting lead purchasing agency for the SJPC; on behalf of the SJPC, Camden County publicly advertised bids for the purpose of procuring Natural Gas Supply Service (Bid #A37/2019); and

WHEREAS, the County of Camden received and opened bids on Tuesday, September 17, 2019 at 11:30 a.m., Prevailing Time, for Natural Gas Supply Service for the SJPC; and

WHEREAS, UGI Energy Services was the lowest responsible bidder for the Secondary-service Natural Gas accounts located within the South Jersey Gas (SJG) service territory. This low bid rate is \$4.176 per dekatherm (dth); City of Cape May hereby acknowledges and accepts this bid rate for a service period of 36-months, commencing in December 2019; and

WHEREAS, on behalf of the Participating Members of the SJPC, the County of Camden has executed a master agreement with UGI Energy Services and a master agreement with South Jersey Gas for the needs of the Participating Members of the SJPC as described above commencing on the above specified dates; and

WHEREAS, each currently Participating Member of the SJPC, including City of Cape May shall encumber funds in accordance with applicable law and hereby acknowledge the terms and conditions of the aforementioned bid and master contract to which it will be bound for the duration of the agreement as noted herein.

This resolution shall take effect immediately according to law.

I, Patricia Harbora, City Clerk of the City of Cape May, County of Cape May, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing is a correct and true original Resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Cape May at a meeting held on October 1, 2019.

Patricia Harbora, City Clerk

| Roll Call | Ayes | Nays | Absent | Abstain |
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| Hendricks | | | | |
| Meier | | | | |
| Mullock | | | | |
| Sheehan | | | | |
| Lear | | | | |

cc: DPW
CFO
City Manager
Purchasing Agent