

**Borough of Longport
County of Atlantic
Resolution 2023-157**

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

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. Borough of Longport 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 supply and delivery of Natural Gas Service (Bid A-44/2023); and

WHEREAS, the County of Camden received and opened bids, October 24, 2023 for Natural Gas Supply Service for the SJPC for a term to begin on November 30, 2023 and to run to November 30, 2026; and

Utility	Rate Code	Bid Group	Term (Months)	Bid Price	Awarded Supplier
South Jersey Gas	GSGNHFT, GSGFT, GSG	2	36	\$1.011/DTH	UGI Energy Services

WHEREAS, on behalf of the Participating Members of the SJPC, the County of Camden has executed a master agreement with UGI Energy Services Company 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 the Borough of Longport, 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.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

1. Pursuant to the provisions of *N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(f) and N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11(5)*, the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute any agreement necessary to enter the Cooperative Pricing Agreement with the Lead Agency, the County of Camden.
2. The Lead Agency shall be responsible for complying with the provisions of the *Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.)* and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey and the New Jersey Administrative Code.
3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

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Russo	X				X		
Leeds	X					X	
Lawler				X			
X-Indicates Vote NV-Not Voting AB - Absent							

Adopted: December 6, 2023

I, **Monica Kyle, Municipal Clerk** of the Borough of Longport, Atlantic County, N.J., do hereby certify the forgoing to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Borough of Longport at a Meeting of said Board of Commissioners held on December 6, 2023, and that said Resolution was adopted by not less than a two-thirds vote of the members of the Longport Borough Board of Commissioners.

MONICA KYLE, MUNICIPAL CLERK