TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PENNSAUKEN, COUNTY OF CAMDEN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AWARDS A SOURCEWELL CONTRACT TO ROORK'S FARM SUPPLY INC, TO PURCHASE NEW FOUR-WHEEL DRIVE TRACTOR

WHEREAS, the Township of Pennsauken determined that there was a need for a New Four-Wheel Drive Tractor for the Public Works Department in the Township of Pennsauken; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2 authorizes contracting units to purchase goods or to contract for services through the use of a nationally recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing agreement for its administration; and that has been developed utilizing a competitive bidding process by another contracting unit within the State of New Jersey, or within any other state, when available;" and

WHEREAS, the Department of Community Affairs Division of Local Government Services issued Local Finance Notice 2012-10 entitled "Using National Cooperative Contracts: Application of P.L. 2011, c. 139." The LFN set forth guidance for contracting units to follow in utilizing a national cooperative contract; and

WHEREAS, the procurement of goods and services through a National Cooperative does not need to go through the public bidding process; and

WHEREAS, Roork's Farm Supply, Inc has been awarded Sourcewell Cooperative Purchasing Program contract # 031121-KBA, maturity date April 30,2025; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Public Works recommended the utilization of this contract as it represents the best price available per the Cooperative Pricing Agreements bidding procedures and is a cost savings to the Township; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer of the Township of Pennsauken, as required by N.J.S.A 5:30-1, certified that there are sufficient funds available for the purpose of awarding a contract to said entity, to encumber funds against:

Capital Account C-04-22-100-501

\$36,633.84

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Pennsauken, County of Camden, State of New Jersey, as follows:

- 1. The Township Committee declares that Roork's Farm Supply, Inc 163 Route 77 Elmer, NJ 08318 is hereby formally awarded a contract to purchase a New Four- Wheel Drive Tractor in an amount not to exceed \$36,633.84
- 2. The Township Purchasing Agent is hereby authorized to purchase goods or services under Contract Number #031121-KBA, pursuant to all conditions of the National Cooperative contract; and

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PAMELA SCOTT-FORMAN
ACTING TOWNSHIP CLERK

ADOPTED: