

**SOMERSET COUNTY PARK COMMISSION
RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT
SOLICITED THROUGH A FAIR AND OPEN PROCESS
FOR LEGAL SERVICES CONTRACT PC-XS-0001-18**

WHEREAS, this resolution is subject to the filing of An Availability of Funds Certificate by the Director of Finance and Administrative Services and CFO of Somerset County Park Commission for the purposes set forth in this resolution, such certification is subject to the appropriation of sufficient funds in the 2019 temporary budget. An Availability of Funds Certificate is to be executed by the CFO upon adoption of the 2019 temporary budget and not to exceed the appropriation in the temporary budget.

WHEREAS, the Somerset County Park Commission Purchasing Office did on October 12, 2018 advertise on the Park Commission website www.somersetcountyparks.org and on the Somerset County website www.co.somerset.nj.us in accordance with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq; and

WHEREAS, five (5) sealed proposals for General Counsel and six (6) sealed proposals for Labor Counsel were received, opened, and read in public on November 8, 2018 at 1:30pm, prevailing time for Legal Services PC-XS-0001-19; and

WHEREAS the RFP's were reviewed and it was determined that the following submissions best meet the requirements of the Park Commission specifications:

(1) General Counsel	Purcell, Mulcahy & Flanagan 1 Pluckemin Way Bedminster, NJ 07921	Monthly retainer \$2,000.00 Hourly: \$200 partner/associates \$85.00 paralegals
(2) Labor Counsel	Eric Bernstein & Associates 34 Mountain Boulevard Warren, NJ 07059	Annual Cap \$25,000.00 Hourly: \$135.00

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Somerset County Park Commission that the RFP's as submitted by Purcell, Mulcahy & Flanagan, LLC and Eric Bernstein & Associates be and are hereby accepted for the above.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Somerset County Park Commission that award of contract be made to Purcell, Mulcahy & Flanagan, LLC and Eric Bernstein & Associates and that the Purchasing Agent is hereby authorized to issue a purchase order to the said vendors.

I, Geoffrey D. Soriano, Interim Secretary-Director of the Somerset County Park Commission, hereby certify the above to be a true copy of Resolution adopted by said Commission at the regular meeting held December 13, 2018.


 Interim Secretary-Director