



UNION COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

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RESOLUTION NO.: 27-2016

DATE: March 16, 2016

RESOLUTION OF THE UNION COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY APPOINTING A RISK MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Joseph C. Bodek
Clerk of the Authority

APPROVED AS TO SUFFICIENCY OF FUNDS

YES NO NONE REQUIRED
UNION COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

By: Joseph C. Bodek

By: [Signature]

	PRESENT	ABSENT	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	MOTION	SECOND
<i>Badri</i>	✓		✓			✓	
<i>Criscione</i>	✓		✓				
<i>Jackus</i>	✓		✓				
<i>Kahn</i>	✓		✓				✓
<i>Kennedy</i>	✓		✓				
<i>People</i>		✓					
<i>Scutari</i>	✓		✓				
<i>ErDOS, Vice Chair</i>	✓		✓				
<i>Eastman, Chair</i>	✓		✓				
<i>Lombardo, Alternate No. 1</i>	✓		✓				
<i>McManus, Alternate No. 2</i>	✓						

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WHEREAS, the Union County Utilities Authority is a member of the New Jersey Utility Authorities Joint Insurance Fund, and

WHEREAS, the bylaws of said Funds require that each Authority appoint a RISK MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT to perform various professional services as detailed in the bylaws; and

WHEREAS, the bylaws indicate a minimum fee equal to six percent (6%) of the Authority's assessment which expenditure represents reasonable compensation for the services required and was included in the cost considered by the Authority;

WHEREAS, the judgmental nature of the Risk Management Consultant's duties renders comparative bidding impractical;

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Union County Utilities Authority does hereby appoint Steven Edwards and George Crosby of Business and Government Insurance Agency as its Risk Management Consultant in accordance with the Fund's bylaws; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Governing Body are hereby authorized and directed to execute the Risk Management Consultant's Agreement annexed hereto and to cause a notice of this decision to be published according to NJSA 40A:11-5 (1) (a) (i).

James Kennedy, Secretary

Dated

RISK MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT'S AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT entered into this 1st day of _____, 200_, between the Union County Utilities Authority (hereinafter referred to as AUTHORITY) and Business and Government Insurance Agency (hereinafter referred to as the CONSULTANT).

WHEREAS, the CONSULTANT has offered to the AUTHORITY professional risk management consulting services as required in the bylaws of the New Jersey Utility Municipal Joint Insurance Fund, and;

WHEREAS, the AUTHORITY desires these professional services pursuant to the resolution adopted by the governing body of the AUTHORITY at a meeting held on March 16, 2016 and;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants set forth herein, agree as follows:

- I. For and in consideration of the amount stated hereinafter, the CONSULTANT shall:
 - a) Assist the AUTHORITY in identifying its insurable Property & Casualty exposures and to recommend professional methods to reduce, assume or transfer the risk or loss.
 - b) Assist the AUTHORITY in understanding the various coverages available from the New Jersey Utility Authority Joint Insurance Fund and the Municipal Excess Liability Joint Insurance Fund.
 - c) Review with the AUTHORITY any additional coverages that the CONSULTANT feels should be carried but are not available from the FUND and subject to the AUTHORITY's authorization, place such coverages outside the FUND.
 - d) Assist the AUTHORITY in the preparation of applications, statements of values, and similar documents requested by the FUND, it being understood that this Agreement does not include any appraisal work by the CONSULTANT.
 - e) Review Certificates of Insurance from contractors, vendors and professionals when requested by the AUTHORITY.
 - f) Review the AUTHORITY's assessment as prepared by the FUND and assist the AUTHORITY in the preparation of its annual insurance budget.
 - g) Review the loss and engineering reports and generally assist the safety committee in its loss containment objectives. Also, attend no less than one

(1) authority safety committee meeting per annum to promote the safety objectives and goals of the AUTHORITY and the FUND.

- h) Assist where needed in the settlement of claims, with the understanding that the scope of the CONSULTANT's involvement does not include the work normally done by a public adjuster.
- i) Perform any other risk management related services required by the FUND's bylaws.

2. In exchange for the above services, the CONSULTANT shall be compensated in the following manner:

- a) The CONSULTANT shall be paid by the AUTHORITY a fee as compensation for services rendered, an amount equal to six percent (6%) of the AUTHORITY's annual assessment as promulgated by the FUNDS. Said fee shall be paid to the CONSULTANT within thirty (30) days of payment of the AUTHORITY's assessment.
- b) For any insurance coverages authorized by the AUTHORITY to be placed outside the FUND, the CONSULTANT shall receive as compensation the normal brokerage commissions paid by the insurance company. The premiums for said policies shall not be added to the FUND's assessment in computing the fee outlined in 2 (a).
- c) If the AUTHORITY shall require of the CONSULTANT extra services other than those outlined above, the CONSULTANT shall be paid by the AUTHORITY a fee at the rate not to exceed \$175.00 per hour, in addition to actual expenses incurred.

3. The term of this Agreement shall be one (1) year. However, this Agreement may be terminated by either party at any time by mailing to the other written notice, certified mail return receipt, calling for termination at not less than thirty (30) days thereafter. In the event of termination of this Agreement, the CONSULTANT's fees outlined in 2 (a) above shall be prorated to date of termination.

ATTEST:

UNION COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY:

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***BUSINESS AND GOVERNMENT INSURANCE
AGENCY***
