

COMMISSION MEETING DATE:

December 17, 2024

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| Vendor Name (& Location): | | | |
| Various Towing Contractors | | | |
| Description: | | | |
| Routine Towing Services on the New Jersey Turnpike and Routine Towing and Emergency Services on the Garden State Parkway | | | |
| PROCUREMENT TYPE: | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Competitive | <input type="checkbox"/> | Non-Competitive |
| SOLICITATION TYPE: | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Bid | <input type="checkbox"/> | RFP |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Sole Source | <input type="checkbox"/> | Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> | State Contract |

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| Number: RM-185544 | | | |
| Total Amount: \$ (Revenue to the Authority) | | | |
| Budget Code: | | | |
| N/A | | | |
| Contract Term (Including Options, if any): | | | |
| Five (5) years with the option to extend for two (2) additional one-year terms | | | |
| Funding Source: | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Operating <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Capital |
| FS | Funding subject to authorization through WRAF approval process. | F | Funds are available in the appropriate operating/capital budgets for the referenced procurements. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| FF | Future Funded | FP | Subject to funding availability at the time of ordering. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | |
| Requesting Department: | | | |
| Operations | | | |
| Director/Manager: | | | |
| Kevin Dunn | | | |
| Publicly advertised in the Star Ledger and the Asbury Park Press and posted on the Authority's and State's websites on July 17, 2024. | | | |

At its November 19, 2024 meeting, the Board of Commissioners granted authorization to award multiple contracts to towing contractors for performing Routine Towing and Emergency Services on the Garden State Parkway ("Parkway") and Routine Towing Services on the New Jersey Turnpike ("Turnpike") (collectively "Towing Services") (N.J.A.C. 19:9-2.13).

Protests were filed by B&L Tire Service, Inc. t/a B&L Towing ("B&L") against Noll Brothers Inc. ("Noll Brothers") for Zone 10 on the Garden State Parkway and Puleio's Service Center, Inc. ("Puleio's") against Mandy's A Taylor's Company d/b/a D&J Towing & Recovery, Inc. ("Mandy's") for Zone 9 on the Turnpike in accordance with the Authority's Regulations. Contracts in the affected Zones as well as all other contracts for Mandy's were stayed pending the outcome of the protests.

A protest hearing was held on October 15, 2024, regarding the prequalification of Noll Brothers and the Executive Director rendered a decision in favor of B&L. On October 16, 2024, a protest hearing was held regarding the prequalification of Mandy's and the Executive Director rendered a decision in favor of Mandy's.

Therefore, the following prequalified bidders submitted bids, and are the lowest responsible bidders for the referenced Zones:

Garden State Parkway

| Zone 6 – MM 102 to MM 112.3 | Class 1 Vehicles | Straight Trucks, Cars w/Trailers | Tractor Trailer, Bus |
|---|-------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Central/Taylor's Towing d/b/a Morgan's Heavy Duty Towing, LLC. 31 Central Ave., Red Bank, NJ 07701 | \$ 116.50 | \$ 214.00 | \$ 405.00 |
| Taylor's Towing d/b/a D&J Towing & Recovery, Inc. 5051 Industrial Rd, Wall, NJ 07727 | \$ 116.50 | \$ 214.00 | \$ 405.00 |

| Zone 8 – MM 118.5 to MM 126.6 | Class 1 Vehicles | Straight Trucks, Cars w/Trailers | Tractor Trailer, Bus |
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| Mandy's A Taylor's Company d/b/a D&J Towing & Recovery, Inc. 24 Vineyard Rd, Edison, NJ 08817 | \$ 116.50 | \$ 214.00 | \$ 405.00 |

| Zone 10 – MM 132 to MM 138.8 | Class 1 Vehicles | Straight Trucks, Cars w/Trailers | Tractor Trailer, Bus |
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| B&L Tire Service, Inc. t/a B&L Towing 100 Minue St. Carteret, NJ 07008 | \$ 105.00 | \$ 200.00 | \$ 370.00 |

New Jersey Turnpike

| Zone 9 – Int 8 to Int 9 (Northbound) Int 11 to Int 9 (Southbound) | Class 1 Vehicles | Straight Trucks, Cars w/Trailers | Tractor Trailer, Bus |
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| Mandy's A Taylor's Company d/b/a D&J Towing & Recovery, Inc. 24 Vineyard Rd, Edison, NJ 08817 | \$ 116.50 | \$ 214.00 | \$ 405.00 |
| Puleio's Service Center, Inc. 1475 Livingston Ave., North Brunswick, NJ 08902 | \$ 116.50 | \$ 214.00 | \$ 405.00 |

The term of the contracts will be five (5) years with the option to extend for two (2) additional one-year terms at the Authority's discretion and the successful bidder's concurrence. Contracts will begin on or about February 1, 2025.

To offset administrative costs, the Authority has set a Zone Fee for each Zone that must be remitted to the Authority by the Contractors awarded the contract(s) for Towing Services for that Zone. The Zone Fee will be equally apportioned among all Contractors awarded contracts for each Zone and shall be submitted monthly to the Authority.

Bids for these contracts were procured, and the authorization being sought is to award these fair and open contracts to the lowest responsible bidders, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 27:23-6.1, N.J.A.C. 19:9-2.13, and Executive Order No. 37 (Corzine 2006).

Accordingly, authorization is requested to award contracts to the Contractors as detailed above to provide Routine Towing Services on the Turnpike and Routine Towing Services and Emergency Services on the Parkway.