

**RESOLUTION # 22-065**

**RESOLUTION OF PASSAIC VALLEY WATER COMMISSION**

**RESOLUTION TO EXTEND CONTRACT NO. 20-B-46 ENTITLED  
"CHAIN LINK FENCE MAINTENANCE AND INSTALLATION"**

**DATE OF ADOPTION: MAY 24, 2023**

Introduced by Commissioner: **JOSEPH KOLODZIEJ**

Seconded by Commissioner: **JEFF LEVINE**

**WHEREAS**, Contract No. 20-B-46 entitled "Chain Link Fence Maintenance and Installation" was awarded to Comprelli Equipment & Service, Inc. of East Hanover, New Jersey (the "Contractor") on March 23, 2022 (Resolution 22-033) after the low bidder, Fox Fence was determined to be unresponsive: and

**WHEREAS**, Comprelli Equipment & Services, Inc, provided, and continues to provide, goods and services under this contract with the Passaic Valley Water Commission ("PVWC") consistently and reliably and effectively and efficiently on an as-needed basis: and

**WHEREAS**, under the Local Public Contracts Law N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. as amended April 17, 2000 (the "Act"), certain discretionary provisions enabled under said Act, including extensions to existing contracts pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-15 (16) (the "LCPL"), were subsequently adopted by PVWC; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the LCPL, extensions to existing contracts provide for up to two (2) additional years for contracts which are two (2) years or less, (for a total contract duration not to exceed four (4) years), with recommended actions concerning any and all such extensions subject to PVWC approval through Resolutions; and

**WHEREAS**, the currently active Contract, otherwise scheduled to end on or about March 22, 2023 includes a provision whereby PVWC may elect to allow said Contract to expire at the end of the time stipulated, or to extend the contract time by annual or semi-annual

periods, for a total contract duration not to exceed the maximum allowable set forth hereinabove; and

**WHEREAS,** under the provisions of the Contract, the Contractor is required to maintain and extend all insurance and performance bonds, and any other applicable bonds, and to continue to provide goods and services under the extended contract under the terms and conditions of the existing contract; and

**WHEREAS,** it is, therefore, in the best interests of PVWC, its users and constituent municipalities to extend the Contract for a 2 - year period of time beginning March 22, 2023, and ending on March 21, 2025; and

**WHEREAS,** a copy of the Vendor's correspondence (dated May 1, 2023) agreeing to a 2-year extension of the Contract (under the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents), is attached hereto and made a part hereof as **Exhibit A**; and

**WHEREAS,** the unit quantities stipulated under the original 2-year Contract are hereby adjusted and reestablished for this 2-year extended portion of the Contract, and, based on the appropriate adjustment of the unit prices currently in effect under the Contract (in accordance with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-15 and as set forth in the contract documents) and a negotiated index adjustment of zero (0) percent to said unit prices, the total amount of this extended portion of the Contract equates to \$274,176.00 and

**WHEREAS,** PVWC's Chief Financial Officer has certified, with respect hereto, that funds are currently available for said purpose, and said certificate is included herewith and made a part hereof as **Exhibit B**;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** by Passaic Valley Water Commission, in the County of Passaic, New Jersey:

1. That PVWC hereby authorizes and awards a 2-year extension to Contract No. 20-B-46 entitled "Chain Link Fence Maintenance and Installation" to Comprelli Equipment & Service, Inc. of East Hanover, New Jersey commencing May and expiring on April 7, 2024; all in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-15; and in an amount not to exceed \$274,176.00.
2. That the terms of this 2-year extension to the Contract are embodied in this Resolution and Exhibit A which is incorporated herein as the amendment to the Contract.
3. That appropriate officers of the Commission are hereby authorized and directed to execute this Contract extension as set forth hereinabove and implement the terms of this extended Contract in accordance with this Resolution and the submissions provided in connection herewith, and the Secretary of PVWC to attest to this Contract extension and such other officers, employees and officials of PVWC are hereby authorized to perform such acts and execute such documents as are necessary to implement the terms and intentions of this Resolution.
4. That this matter shall be advertised as required by New Jersey law, in accordance with an appropriate form of notice, and a copy of this Resolution shall be placed on file and made available for public inspection at the office of the Administrative Secretary of Passaic Valley Water Commission.

**RECORD OF COMMISSION VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE**

	<b>AYE</b>	<b>NAY</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
<b>SANCHEZ, R.</b>	<u><b>X</b></u>	___	___	___
<b>COTTON, R.</b>	<u><b>X</b></u>	___	___	___
<b>DEPADUA, C.</b>	<u><b>X</b></u>	___	___	___
<b>KOLODZIEJ, J.</b>	<u><b>X</b></u>	___	___	___
<b>LEVINE, J.</b>	<u><b>X</b></u>	___	___	___
<b>VAN RENSA LIER, R.</b>	___	___	___	<u><b>X</b></u>
<b>FRIEND, G.</b>	<u><b>X</b></u>	___	___	___

**Adopted at a meeting of Passaic Valley Water Commission.**

  
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**President**  
**GERALD FRIEND**

  
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**Secretary**  
**RUBY N. COTTON**

**This Resolution, when adopted, must remain in the custody of the Administrative Secretary.**

**CERTIFICATION**

I, LOUIS AMODIO, Administrative Secretary of the Passaic Valley Water Commission in the County of Passaic, and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy thereof of the foregoing Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of a legal quorum of the full membership of the Passaic Valley Water Commission at its duly noticed and convened meeting of the said Commission on May 24, 2023.

  
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**LOUIS AMODIO**  
**Administrative Secretary**

**EXHIBIT A**

## Bresemann, Lisa

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**From:** Jeff Comprelli <jeff@cesfence.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, May 1, 2023 8:13 AM  
**To:** Bresemann, Lisa  
**Cc:** Marotta, Mike; Porcaro, Patrick  
**Subject:** RE: Contract 20-8 -46 - Chain Link Fence Maintenance and Installation

Lisa,

Sorry, this ended up in Junk mail please proceed with the contract extension

Thank You,



*Jeffery Comprelli/ President*

Comprelli Equipment & Service, Inc.  
C.E.S Fence, Inc.  
SD Great Meadow Lane  
East Hanover, NJ 07936-1721  
Phone: 973-428-8687  
Fax: 973-884-4867  
Cell: 973-714-4532  
[www.cesfence.com](http://www.cesfence.com)

**From:** Bresemann, Lisa <lbresemann@PVWC.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 18, 2023 2:55 PM  
**To:** Jeff Comprelli <jeff@cesfence.com>  
**Cc:** Marotta, Mike <mmarotta@PVWC.com>; Porcaro, Patrick <pporcaro@PVWC.com>  
**Subject:** Contract 20-B-46 - Chain Link Fence Maintenance and Installation

Good Afternoon,

The above contract was awarded to your company on March 23, 2022 and has now expired. Would you be willing to extend your contract with us for a period of two years under the same terms? If so, please advise so that I may prepare a contract extension.

Regards,

***lbresemann***  
**Purchasing Agent**  
**Passaic Valley Water Commission**  
[lbresemann@pvwc.com](mailto:lbresemann@pvwc.com)  
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"Great things in business are never done by one person. They're done by a team of people." - **Steve Jobs**

**EXHIBIT B**

## OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER

### CERTIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

It is hereby certified that subject to Commission approval of future Budgets, with respect to multi-budget year contracts, there are or will be sufficient available funds for expenditures to be incurred as result of any contract or commitment to be entered into by Passaic Valley Water Commission as follows:

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Description of Project or Contract: Contract 20-B-46– Comprelli Equipment & Service  
Chain Link Fence Maintenance & Installation  
2 Year Contract Extension

Amount of Project or Contract: \$ 274,176.00

1. Acct: # 001-0901-419-95-33 / CAPITAL/FENCING
2. Specific Appropriation to which expenditures will be charged:  
Capital 2023/2024

Other comments:

Date of Certification: May 24, 2023

Amount Certified: \$274,176.00

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**Yitzchak Weiss**  
Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer

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