RESOLUTION 2018 - 31

RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT FOR LANDSCAPING AT MORRIS MEWS, PLEASANT VIEW VILLAGE, PEER PLACE, BENNETT AVENUE, GREEN POND VILLAGE AND INDIA BROOK VILLAGE

WHEREAS, the Housing Authority of the County of Morris has solicited bids for Landscaping at Morris Mews, Pleasant View Village, Peer Place, Bennett Avenue, Green Pond Village and India Brook Village, in accordance with the New Jersey Public Contract Law; and

WHEREAS, the bids were accepted in accordance with specifications prepared by the Housing Authority and read aloud at 10:30 A.M. on September 28, 2018 at the offices of the Housing Authority of the County of Morris, located at 99 Ketch Road, Morristown, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, LTI Landscaping is the lowest responsible bidder for Morris Mews, Pleasant View Village, Peer Place, Bennett Avenue, Green Pond Village and India Brook Village for a total cost of \$59,300; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Housing Authority of the County of Morris findings are attached; and

WHEREAS, funds are available from the US Department of Housing and Urban Development and USDA Rural Development; and

WHEREAS, the Housing Authority desires to accept the bid from LTI Landscaping; and

WHEREAS, the Housing Authority of the County of Morris finds that the best interests of the Authority and the purpose of the New Jersey Local Public Contract Law would be served by awarding the contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners of the Housing Authority of the County of Morris hereby approves the award of the landscaping contract for Morris Mews, Pleasant View Village, Peer Place, Bennett Avenue, Green Pond Village and India Brook Village to LTI Landscaping for the period of April 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution shall be published in the Daily Record.

Roberta L. Strater, Director/Secretary

Date Adopted

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE TO PAY THE ABOVE EXPENDITURES

GINA BOZZI, FINANCE MANAGER

Examination of Landscaping Bids Bid Opening: September 28, 2018 at 10:30 AM

1.	LTI, Inc., 70-76 Passaic Avenue, Florham Park, NJ 07932	\$ 59,300
2.	Faircut Services 17 Timber Drive Montville, NJ 07045	\$234,222
3.	Hewson 601 North Avenue Plainfield, NJ 07060	\$243,285