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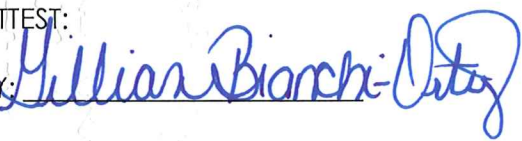
**OPTION TO EXTEND FOR SLUDGE AND SEPTAGE REMOVAL AND SEWER LINE CLEANING FOR THE COUNTY OF MERCER AND THE MERCER COUNTY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT PURCHASING SYSTEM**

WHEREAS, the County of Mercer entered into a contract with Russell Reid Waste Hauling & Disposal Service Co., Inc., 200 Smith Street, PO Box 130, Keasbey, NJ 08832 for Sludge and Septage Removal and Sewer Line Cleaning for County of Mercer and the Mercer County Cooperative Contract Purchasing System for a period of one (1) year with an option to extend one (1) year as per Resolution No. 2025-136, adopted on February 11, 2025; and

WHEREAS, an Option to Extend the original CONTRACT for one (1) year and meeting the requirements of the County specifications through December 31, 2026 is required; and, all other terms and conditions in the original Contract dated February 11, 2025 will remain the same.

THE COUNTY reserves the right, at its option to terminate this contract upon giving thirty (30) days written notice to the CONTRACTOR.

ATTEST:

BY: 

Gillian Bianchi-Ortiz  
Clerk to the Board of Mercer  
County Commissioners

COUNTY OF MERCER

BY: 

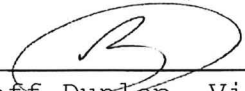
Dan Benson  
County Executive

WITNESS:

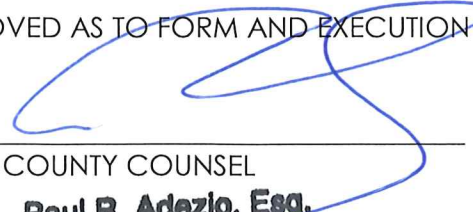
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Government Contracts Lead

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RUSSELL REID WASTE HAULING & DISPOSAL  
SERVICE CO, INC

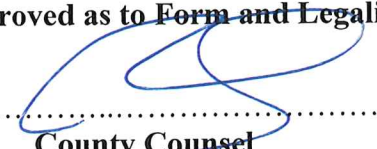
BY:   
Jeff Dunlop, Vice President

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND EXECUTION

BY:   
COUNTY COUNSEL  
**Paul R. Adezio, Esq.**  
**Attorney-at-Law**  
**State of New Jersey**

Approved as to Form and Legality

Date

  
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 County Counsel

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 March 12, 2026

COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND CLERK TO THE BOARD AUTHORIZED TO “EXERCISE AN OPTION TO EXTEND” AWARD OF BID CONTRACT WITH RUSSELL REID WASTE HAULING & DISPOSAL SERVICE CO, INC. FOR SLUDGE AND SEPTAGE REMOVAL AND SEWER LINE CLEANING FOR THE COUNTY OF MERCER AND THE MERCER COUNTY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT PURCHASING SYSTEM FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR. PERIOD: JANUARY 1, 2026 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2026. TOTAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED: \$116,000.00 (CK09MERCER2024-19)

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provision of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-15, the governing body may include provisions for a contract extension upon a finding by the governing body that the services are being performed in an effective and efficient manner; and,

WHEREAS, the County of Mercer entered into an Award of Bid Contract with Russell Reid Waste Hauling & Disposal Service Co., Inc., located at 200 Smith Street, P.O. Box 130, Keasbey, New Jersey 08832 for Sludge and Septage Removal and Sewer Line Cleaning for the County of Mercer and the Mercer County Cooperative Contract Purchasing System for a period of one (1) year with an option to extend one (1) year as per Resolution No. 2025-136, adopted on February 11, 2025; and,

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 Clerk to the Board

RECORD OF VOTE													
COMMISSIONERS							COMMISSIONERS						
	Aye	Nay	N.V.	Abs.	Res.	Sec.		Aye	Nay	N.V.	Abs.	Res.	Sec.
Cimino	X						Melker				X		
Frisby	X				✓		Walter	X					✓
Lewis	X						Stokes	X					
McLaughlin	X												
X—Indicates Vote      Abs.—Absent      N.V.—Not Voting Res.—Resolution Moved      Sec.—Resolution Seconded													

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WHEREAS, the County of Mercer is desirous of exercising the Option to Extend the Award of Bid Contract with Russell Reid Waste Hauling & Disposal Service Co., Inc., for Sludge and Septage Removal and Sewer Line Cleaning for the County of Mercer and the Mercer County Cooperative Contract Purchasing System for a period of one (1) year for the period of January 1, 2026 through December 31, 2026, in an amount not to exceed \$116,000.00; and,

**VENDOR WILL NOT EXTEND TO THE MERCER COUNTY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT PURCHASING SYSTEM MEMBERS**

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified the funds for the year 2026 are available pursuant to the 2026 temporary Mercer County Budget; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Executive and Clerk to the Board are hereby authorized to "Exercise the Option to Extend" the Award of Bid Contract with Russell Reid Waste Hauling & Disposal Service Co., Inc., for Sludge and Septage Removal and Sewer Line Cleaning for County of Mercer and the Mercer County Cooperative Contract Purchasing System for the period of January 1, 2026 through December 31, 2026, on behalf of the County of Mercer, when presented in a form approved by County Counsel; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk to the Board shall forward a copy of this Resolution to the Mercer County Purchasing Agent for further distribution.

.....*Lillian Bianchi-Octay*  
Clerk to the Board