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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR SODIUM HYPOCHLORITE SOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority (hereinafter "RVRSA") desires to purchase Sodium Hypochlorite solution (15%); and

WHEREAS, the RVRSA issued a Notice to Bidders seeking sealed competitive bids for the supply of sodium hypochlorite solution according to bid specifications, for a twelve (12) month period and for a twenty-four (24) month period; and

WHEREAS, the Authority received sealed competitive bids on November 9, 2021 from three bidders in the following amounts:

Bidder	months 1-12	months 13-24
JCI Jones Chemicals, Inc.	\$1.48/gallon	\$1.48/gallon
Univar Solutions, Inc.	\$1.17/gallon	No Bid
Miracle Chemical	\$1.275/gallon	\$1.335/gallon

WHEREAS, a sealed bid was received from Kuehne Chemical Company, Inc., after the bid opening, which sealed bid was returned to the sender unopened; and

WHEREAS, the bid submitted by the apparent lowest responsible bidder, Univar Solution USA, Inc., was reviewed by the Authority's staff and the Authority's legal counsel, Maraziti Falcon LLP, to determine compliance with the technical specifications and procurement laws; and

WHEREAS, based upon this review, it has been determined that the bid submitted by the apparent lowest responsible bidder, Univar Solutions USA, Inc., has met the legal and technical requirements set forth in the bid specifications; and

WHEREAS, Authority Staff recommend that it would be in the best interests of the Authority to award the bid to Univar Solutions USA, Inc. for the supply of sodium hypochlorite solution for a twelve (12) month period; and

WHEREAS, the RVRSA has sufficient funds available at line item 01-506-033 for these purposes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority on this 9th day of December, 2021 as follows:

- 1. The bid for Sodium Hypochlorite Solution (15%) from Univar Solutions USA, Inc., of 200 Dean Sievers Place, Morrisville, PA, 19067-3700, is hereby accepted in accordance with the bid specifications and the bid proposal which is on file in the offices of RVRSA in the amount of Hypochlorite Solution (15%) \$1.17/gallon for months one (1) through twelve (12).
- 2. The Executive Director is authorized and directed to execute a twelve (12) month contract for supplying Hypochlorite Solution (15%) to Univar Solutions USA, Inc., in accordance with the bid for the same submitted November 9, 2021.
- 4. A copy of the resolution and contract shall be kept available for public inspection at the RVRSA office at the Administration Building, 99 Green Bank Road, Parsippany, and New Jersey.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority held on <u>December 9, 2021</u>.

On motion: Commissioner Schorno

Seconded by: Commissioner Guadagno

And a Roll Call Vote as Follows:

Yeas: (9) Andes, Cegelka, Farrell, Guadagno, Howarth, Isselin, Recchia, Schorno, and Zuppa Nays: (0) None

Nays: (0) None Abstain: (0) None Absent: (1) Corbett

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Michael Guadagno

Board Secretary