## RESOLUTION # 25-057

## RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF TWO YEAR CONTRACT FOR SLUDGE HAULING SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority (hereinafter "RVRSA") desires to enter into a contract for the provision of sludge hauling services to transport residual resulting from the wastewater treatment process off-site for ultimate disposal; and

WHEREAS, the RVRSA advertised for bid proposals to provide sludge hauling services to the RVRSA, according to bid specifications, for a twelve (12) month period with an option to renew such contract for an additional twelve (12) month period at the sole discretion of the Authority and, subject to the availability of funding therefore; and

WHEREAS, the bid of United Site Services dba Russell Reid Waste Hauling and Disposal Services Co., Inc being the apparent lowest, was reviewed by the Authority's Staff to determine compliance with the technical specifications; and

WHEREAS, by memorandum dated May 2, 2025, Diane Alexander, Esq. of Maraziti, Falcon, LLC has determined that the bid submitted by the apparent low bidder, United Site Services dba Russell Reid, Waste Hauling and Disposal Services Co., Inc., has met the legal requirements set forth in the bid specifications; and

WHEREAS, based upon its review of the bid price proposed, the Authority has determined that it would be in the best interests of the Authority to award the bid to United Site Services dba Russell Reid Waste Hauling and Disposal Services Co., Inc., for a term of twenty-four (24) months at \$0.0608 per gallon for months one (1) through twelve (12) and at \$0.062 per gallons for months thirteen (13) through twenty-four (24); and

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**WHEREAS**, the CFO has certified that sufficient funds are available in line item 01-506-032.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority as follows:

1. All immaterial defects contained in the bid submission of United Site Services dba Russell Reid Waste Hauling and Disposal Services Co., Inc., if any, are waived and the Authority hereby awards a contract, that shall be subject to the availability and appropriation annually of sufficient funds as may be required to meet the extended obligation, for Sludge Hauling Services to United Site Services dba Russell Reid Waste Hauling and Disposal Services Co., Inc., 200 Smith Street, Keasbey, NJ 08832, as the lowest responsible bidder in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. and in accordance with the bid specifications and the bid proposal which is on file in the offices of RVRSA in the amount of:

\$0.0608/gallon for months 1 to 12 \$0.062/gallon for months 13 to 24

- The Executive Director is authorized and directed to execute a twenty-four (24) month contract for supplying Sludge Hauling Services to United Site Services dba Russell Reid Waste Hauling and Disposal Services Co., Inc., in accordance with the bid for the same submitted April 30, 2025.
- 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.
- 4. This resolution shall take effect as provided by law.

## Certification of Funds

I, Sandy Thai, CFO, does hereby certify that sufficient funds are available in the 2025 budget at line item 01-506-032 through the end of the fiscal year and that a

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separate certification of funds will be provided and kept on file upon final adoption of the budget for successive years for the services to be provided in this Resolution in the amounts not to exceed as stated herein.

Isl Sandy Thai

Chief Financial Officer

Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority Dated: May 8, 2025

## CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted at a meeting of the Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority held on <a href="May 8">May 8</a>, 2025.

On motion of Commissioner Isselin and Second by Commissioner Howarth

And a Roll Call Vote as Follows:

Yeas: (9) Andes, Cegelka, Chegwidden, Farrell, Howarth, Isselin, Laverty, Schorno, and Sheehy.

Nays: (0) None

Abstain: (0) None

Absent: (1) Zuppa

Donald Farrell Secretary