

**RESOLUTION NO. 15-010**  
**DESIGNATING BOWMAN & COMPANY AS AUDITOR FOR FISCAL YEAR**  
**2015 TO REORGANIZATION MEETING OF FISCAL YEAR 2016**

**WHEREAS**, there exists a need for the professional services of an auditor for the Harrison Township Fire District; and

**WHEREAS**, the Local Public Contract Law, (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et. seq.) requires that a Resolution authorizing the award of Contract for professional services without competitive bids must be publicly advertised;

**WHEREAS**, the New Jersey Statutes require that every municipal authority shall cause an annual audit of the accounts of the authority to be made by a registered municipal accountant or certified public accountant of New Jersey;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Harrison Township Fire Commissioners as follows:

1. That the firm of Bowman & Company of 6 North Broad Street, Suite 201, Woodbury, New Jersey be appointed Auditor for the Harrison Township Fire District for the fiscal year of 2014 to the reorganization meeting on March 01, 2016;

2. That this contract is awarded without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" under the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law because the aforesaid agreement encompasses professional services recognized, licensed and regulated by law and is of a nature where it is not possible to obtain competitive bids;

3. That this contract is awarded pursuant to a non-fair and open process such that Bowman & Company has completed and submitted a Business Entity Disclosure Certification certifying that it has not made any reportable contributions to a political party or candidate committee of a member of the Harrison Township Fire District in the previous one year and that the contract will prohibit Bowman & Company from making any reportable contributions through the term of the contract as required by the New Jersey Local Unit Pay-to-Play Law, N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4, *et seq.*; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that notice of this action shall be published in the Gloucester County Times as required by law.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Adopted at the annual reorganization meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Harrison Township Fire District held on the 18th day of March, 2015.

ATTEST

  
SECRETARY

BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS OF THE  
HARRISON TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT

  
CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF  
FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Vote In:            5  
Favor                0  
Oppose             0  
Abstain             0