

SALEM COUNTY IMPROVEMENT AUTHORITY

RESOLUTION 2025-41

March 13, 2025

**RESOLUTION OF THE SALEM COUNTY IMPROVEMENT AUTHORITY
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN CONTRACT FOR
DIESEL FUEL**

WHEREAS, the Salem County Improvement Authority (“SCIA”) has discovered that the diesel fuel being provided by its current vendor is contaminated, dirty, and otherwise bad, which has resulted in damage to the various equipment operated by SCIA and numerous hours on behalf of the SCIA employees to remedy the situation; and

WHEREAS, the Salem County Improvement Authority needs to acquire a contract for diesel fuel services as a non-fair and open contract, retroactive to February 6, 2025, pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 in order to meet SCIA’s fuel needs while a new vendor is secured; and

WHEREAS, N. J. S. A. 40A:11 provides that a contracting unit with a QPA may award a contract at an amount not to exceed \$44,000.00, which is below SCIA’s bid threshold; and

WHEREAS, Salem County Improvement Authority policy requires that all expenditures over \$10,000 be approved by the SCIA Board and;

WHEREAS, Landfill Manager has done his due diligence, and has determined that Community Fuel, 564 Delsea Drive, Malaga, NJ can provide SCIA’s fuel needs at the best price, considering the services provided with respect to same; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the contract will exceed the threshold amount of \$17,500.00 pursuant to the New Jersey Pay to Play Law; and

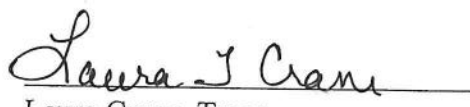
WHEREAS, Community Fuel has filed the required Pay to Play campaign disclosure forms and is authorized and permitted to enter into the contract in question; and

WHEREAS, funds are available for the purchase of the fuel in question, with same having been certified by the Certifying Financial Officer.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by SCIA that the Executive Director is hereby authorized to execute an agreement with and engage the services of Community Fuel, 564 Delsea Drive, Malaga, NJ to supply diesel fuel, retroactive to February 6, 2025, at an amount not to exceed \$44,000.00, until such time that a new fuel contract can be awarded pursuant to an open public bid.

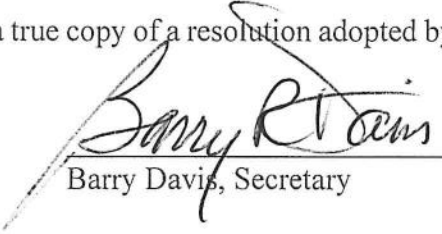
ATTEST:


Barry Davis, Secretary


Laura Crane, Treasurer

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the SCIA at a regular meeting held on March 13, 2025.



Barry Davis, Secretary