

RESOLUTION NO. 103-2021
BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT
AUTHORIZE EMERGENCY REPAIRS TO SANITARY SEWER
LATERAL ON OCEAN AVENUE AT CENTER STREET

Councilmember Leckstein introduced and offered for adoption the following Resolution;
seconded by Councilmember Birdsall:

WHEREAS, the Borough has issues with sanitary back-ups, grease build-up and a pipe sag in the sanitary main on Ocean Avenue at Center Street; and

WHEREAS, the work to repair the above mentioned issues will require working within the Route 36 Right-of-Way, which will be very difficult during the peak summer season; and

WHEREAS, Remington & Vernick Engineers, Inc., Consulting Borough Engineer, recommend the Borough award an emergency contract pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6 according to the criteria listed on the attached letter dated April 30, 2021 to restore the sanitary sewer main; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council desires to complete the necessary improvements to the existing sanitary lateral prior to the peak summer season and eliminate any public health, safety and welfare risks caused by the back-ups; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, do hereby authorize Consulting Borough Engineer to complete the work to restore the sanitary sewer main on an emergency basis in accordance with procedures for emergency contracts as promulgated in the Local Public Contract Laws; and

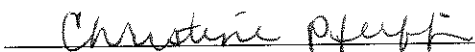
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

1. Sea Bright DPW DIRECTOR
2. Finance Manager
3. Chief Financial Officer

Roll Call:	Birdsall, Yes	Booker, Yes	Catalano, Yes	Keeler, Yes	Lamia, Yes	Leckstein Yes
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May 4, 2021

I, Christine Pfeiffer, Deputy Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a Resolution adopted by the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey at a Council Meeting held May 4, 2021.



Christine Pfeiffer, Borough Clerk



April 30, 2021

VIA EMAIL ONLY

Joseph Verruni, Borough Administrator
Borough of Sea Bright
1167 Ocean Avenue
Sea Bright, NJ 07760

**RE: Borough of Sea Bright
Emergency Recommendation
Donovan's Reef and Center Street Sanitary Sewer Lateral
Our File# 2102G001**

Dear Mr. Verruni:

As you are aware, the sanitary lateral associated with Donovan's Reef has had issues with sanitary backups. Our recent investigation of the sanitary lateral has determined that there is a grease issue as well as a pipe sag in the sanitary main that is located within State Highway Route 36. The work to rectify the pipe sag will require working within Route 36. As a major route thru Sea Bright, completing construction in the Right of Way of Route 36 will be very difficult during peak summer season.

We are writing this letter to recommend award of an emergency contract and to document the reasons why this work needs to be completed on an emergency basis. We are certifying that the work to restore the sanitary sewer main needs to be completed on an emergency basis in accordance with procedures for emergency contracts as promulgated in the Local Public Contract Rules, Department of Community Affairs (N.J.A.C. 5:34-6.1 et seq.).

The following criteria are a basis for award of an emergency contract with Opinion of Compliance. Specifically, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. and N.J.A.C. 5:34-6.1 et seq. requires:

1. That an actual or imminent emergency exists.

The need to replace the sanitary main located within Route 36 was not anticipated. The issues with the sanitary main were encountered when we televised the system on April 21, 2021.

2. That it affects the Public Health, Safety and Welfare.

The back up of sanitary sewage due to grease and/or the sag in the sanitary pipe is a public health issue. The location of the sanitary lateral along a heavily traveled walkway by the public creates a public health risk should the sanitary lateral backup.

3. That the purchasing procedures are not used unless the need could not have been reasonably foreseen.

The conditions of the sanitary lateral investigated by closed circuit television by our office on April 21, 2021 could not have been foreseen.

4. That the contract is to be of limited duration as to meet only the immediate needs of the emergency.

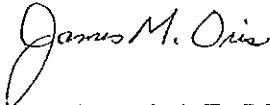
Only work as required to immediately address the repair of the sanitary main and the associated site restoration.

5. That the procedure is not used to enter into multi-year contracts.

Emergency work will address the immediate needs of the situation. The project will not be a multi-year contract.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our Haddonfield office.

Sincerely,
REMINGTON & VERNICK ENGINEERS, INC.



James M. Oris, P.E., P.P., C.M.E., C.P.W.M., C.F.M.
Regional Manager

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cc: Mayor and Council
Christine Pfeiffer, RMC, Borough Clerk
Dave Bahrle, DPW Director
Roger McLaughlin, Esq., Borough Attorney
Stephanie Cuthbert, P.E., P.P., C.M.E., RVE