

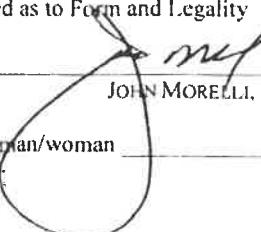
RESOLUTION

No. 20-26

Date of Adoption JAN 23 2020

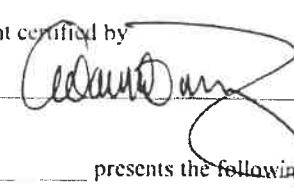
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JOHN MORELLI, ESQ., CITY ATTORNEY

TITLE:

Councilman/woman


presents the following Resolution:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT WITH THE LAW OFFICE OF BRIDGES & SNELL, LLC, 423 RIVERVIEW PLAZA, TRENTON NEW JERSEY 08611 TO PROVIDE CONTINUED PROFESSIONAL LEGAL SERVICES REGARDING SPECIAL COUNSEL IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$50,000.00

WHEREAS, the City of Trenton has a continuing need for professional legal services regarding Special Counsel; and

WHEREAS, Resolution Number 19-424 awarded a contract to the Law Office of Bridges & Snell, LLC through RFP2019-20 in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.00. Funds in the amount of \$75,000.00 were originally certified to be available however, City Council approved only a not to exceed contract amount of \$25,000.00 thereby no new certification of funds is necessary as funds have already been certified to be available for this amendment; and

WHEREAS, previously allocated funds have been exhausted and additional funds in the amount of \$50,000.00 are necessary to cover services through June 2020 which will bring to total contract amount to \$75,000.00; and

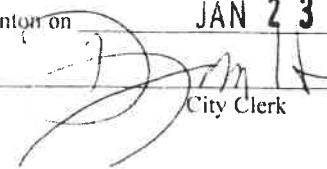
WHEREAS, this amendment shall be awarded to the Law Office of Bridges & Snell, LLC in an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00; and

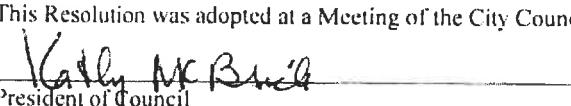
WHEREAS, funds for this contract have been certified to be available contingent upon temporary or final adoption of the FY2020 Budget in Account No. 0-01- -35-3500-290;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Trenton that the Mayor is hereby authorized to amend the contract with the Law Office of Bridges & Snell, LLC for the said purposes in the manner prescribed by law.

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent		Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent		Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
BLAKELEY	✓				MUSCHAL	✓				MCBRIDE	✓			
CALDWELL	✓				RODRIGUEZ	✓								
WILSON					VAUGHN	✓								
HARRISON				✓										

This Resolution was adopted at a Meeting of the City Council of the City of Trenton on


JAN 23 2020


President of Council

City Clerk

AMENDMENT TO PROFESSIONAL LEGAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS AMENDED AGREEMENT made this 23rd day of January 2020, by and between the **CITY OF TRENTON**, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, with its principal offices located at 319 East State Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08608 (hereinafter the "City") and **BRIDGES & SNELL, LLC**, 423 Riverview Plaza, Trenton, New Jersey 08611 (hereinafter "Law Firm").

WHEREAS, based upon the number of hours your Law Firm has expended in the 2020 fiscal contract year in the performance of special counsel litigation defense on behalf of the City; and

WHEREAS, the compensation initially allocated by the City to compensate the Law Firm has been deemed to be insufficient to the end of the fiscal contract year; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 20-26, the City desires to increase the compensation under the current Professional Services Agreement for said services through June 30, 2020,

NOW THEREFORE, the parties mutually agree as follows:

1. The compensation in the amount of the Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) represents an amendment to the funds of the original contract awarded on August 12, 2019, which brings the total contract award amount to \$75,000.00 for services through June 30, 2020.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Attest:


MUNICIPAL CLERK

WITNESS: *Elijah Sumners*



CITY OF TRENTON

By: 
W. REED GUSCIORA, MAYOR

WESLEY BRIDGES, ESQ.

By: 