

R: 2015-125

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF PHILLIPSBURG,
COUNTY OF WARREN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
REJECTING ALL BIDS FOR THE SEWER
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING**

WHEREAS, the Town advertised for the submission of bids relative to the construction of the administration building at the wastewater treatment plant (“Project”); and

WHEREAS, two sealed bids were received by the Town, which bids were opened on July 7, 2015; and

WHEREAS, said bids were as follows:

1. Cooper Smith Brothers, Inc. - \$ 422,000.00
2. JP Group Lehigh Valley - \$ 399,847.00; and

WHEREAS, the Town sewer engineer has advised the Town Council to reject said bids based upon cost and to authorize a reduction in the scope of the Project and to re-advertise; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council believes it to be in the best interest of the Town to reject all bids, to authorize the town engineer to reduce the scope of work and to re-advertise the Project.

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED, by the Council of the Town of Philipsburg, County of Warren, State of New Jersey, that the two bids identified above are hereby rejected; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the town engineer is hereby authorized and directed to reduce the scope of work for the Project and to re-advertise for same.

CERTIFICATION

I, Victoria L. Kleiner, Municipal Clerk for the Town of Phillipsburg, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution duly adopted by the Town Council at their August 04, 2015 meeting.

Victoria L. Kleiner, RMC