

EXPLANATION: This resolution authorizes the award of a contract to purchase police vehicle through the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program pursuant to Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12A and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29(c).

**BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP
RESOLUTION NO. 2015-072**

WHEREAS, pursuant to the N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12A and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29(c), the Township of Bedminster may, by resolution and without advertising for bids, purchase goods and services under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program for any State contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property in the Department of the Treasury; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law authorizes a municipality to acquire goods and services through a duly formed cooperative purchasing system without advertising for bids; and

WHEREAS, the procurement of goods and services through a cooperative program is a “fair and open” process under the New Jersey Pay-to-Play Law, N.J.S.A. 19:44a-20.5 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, The Purchasing Agent shall have the authority, responsibility and accountability for the purchasing activity for the Township of Bedminster, to prepare public advertising for bids and to receive bids and requests for proposals for the provision or performance of goods, services and construction contracts on behalf of the Township of Bedminster, and to award contracts permitted through New Jersey statutes and in accordance with the regulations, forms and procedures promulgated by state regulatory agencies in the name of the Township of Bedminster, and conduct any activities as may be necessary or appropriate to the purchasing function of the Township of Bedminster; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Bedminster, County of Somerset, that the following award of contract be approved as follows:

State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program:

Winner Ford	2016 Police Interceptor AWD
250 Haddonfield-Berlin Road	NJ State Contract #88726
Cherry Hill, NJ 08034	\$25,493.00

FINANCE CERTIFICATION

I, Debra Stern, CFO of the Township of Bedminster hereby certify that there are adequate funds available for the above named contract. Monies are available in the 2015 Current Fund Budget.

Debra Stern, CFO

ATTEST:

BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE

BY: _____

Judith A. Sullivan
Township Clerk

BY: _____

Steven E. Parker
Mayor

CERTIFICATION

I, Judith A. Sullivan, Township Clerk of the Township of Bedminster, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and exact copy of a Resolution adopted by the Township Committee at a Regular Meeting held on May 18, 2015.

Judith A. Sullivan
Township Clerk

Introduced	Seconded	Township Committee	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Steven E. Parker, Mayor				
		Bernie Pane				
		Lawrence F. Jacobs				
		Staci Santucci				
		Kenneth Olsen				