

NOTICE OF AWARD OF 2026 PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS FOR THE BOROUGH OF SOUTH RIVER

WHEREAS, the Borough of South River has determined it necessary to solicit proposal of qualifications for professional services as Borough Attorney under a “Fair and Open Process” pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44-20.4 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of South River has determined and certified that the value of the services to be rendered will exceed \$17,500.00; and

WHEREAS, the anticipated term of said contracts are for a period of one year and shall run from January 1, 2026 through December 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of South River has provided the necessary Public Notice for the solicitation of qualifications for professional services under the Fair and Open Process for a minimum period of ten (10) days; and

WHEREAS, the sealed qualifications, due on December 1, 2025, were submitted to the Borough Administrator of the Borough of South River, 48 Washington Street, South River, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the following Professional Service firms submitted a proposal for Professional Services for the Borough of South River:

- John DeLuca of the firm Savo, Schalk, Corsini, Warner, Gillespie, O’Grodnick, & Fisher for the position of Borough Attorney in the amount of \$150,000.00
- David Samuel, P.E. of the firm CME Associates for the position of Borough Engineer in the amount of \$25,000.00
- Robert Scott LaMountain, Esq. for the position of Borough Prosecutor in the amount of \$18,000.00
- Henry Bignell, P.P. of the firm Bignell Planning Consultants Inc. for the position of Borough Planner in the amount of \$5,000.00

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of South River that the Mayor and appropriate Borough Officials are hereby authorized to enter into a contracts with said firms in the Borough of South River for the calendar year 2026 pursuant to the “Fair and Open Process” which has been implemented under the “New Jersey Local Unit Pay-to-Play” Law under P.L. 2004, Chapter 19 (as amended by P.L. 2005, c.51) N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq.

Submitted by Alyssa Hager, RMC – Municipal Clerk