



Township Council  
1 Municipal Plaza  
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Louise M. Palagano  
Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 07/21/25 06:30 PM

**2025 RESOLUTION AWARD OF CONTRACT**

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**2025 RESOLUTION - AWARD OF CONTRACT - STORMWATER DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS - THORNTON STREET AND PROSPECT STREET**

**WHEREAS**, after the required legal advertising was published, sealed bids were received in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building, Bloomfield, New Jersey on July 8, 2025 by the Purchasing Committee of the Township of Bloomfield in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq., "Local Public Contracts Law" for Stormwater Drainage Improvements - Thornton Street And Prospect Street; and

**WHEREAS**, this project is for the restoration of a collapsed 30-inch, drainage pipe by re-routing a new pipe along Prospect Street and re-establishing its connection to the downstream drainage system at Willow Street; and

**WHEREAS**, a total of eight bids were received with the lowest, responsive bid being submitted by Messercola Excavation Co., Inc., 549 East Third Street, Plainfield, NJ 07060 (the "Contractor") in the amount of \$128,061.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the bid was reviewed by the Township Engineer and found to be complete and responsive; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Finance has indicated that funding is available in capital account C-04-55-223-501.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Mayor and Council of the Township Of Bloomfield, County of Essex, State of New Jersey hereby accepts the recommendation of the Township Engineer and he may enter into a contract for the above improvements with Messercola Excavation Co., Inc., 549 East Third Street, Plainfield, NJ 07060 (the "Contractor") in the amount of \$128,061.00.

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Approved as to form and procedure on basis of facts set forth.

Director of Law-Township Attorney

I do hereby certify that the funding will be legally appropriated per the above information for the purpose specified in the attached contract. Furthermore, it has been represented to me that

the contracts have been processed in accordance with the applicable provisions of New Jersey Local Public Contract Law and the Code of the Township of Bloomfield.

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Chief Financial Officer

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly adopted by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield at a meeting of said Township Council held on July 21, 2025.

*Luise P. Pellegrino*

Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield

*Jenny Mundell*

Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

✓ Vote Record – Resolution						
		Yes/Aye	No/Nay	Abstain	Absent	
<input type="checkbox"/> Adopt						
<input type="checkbox"/> Deny						
<input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn						
<input type="checkbox"/> Table						
<input type="checkbox"/> Not Discussed						
<input type="checkbox"/> First Reading						
<input type="checkbox"/> Table with no Vote						
<input type="checkbox"/> Approve						
<input type="checkbox"/> Veto by Mayor						
<input type="checkbox"/> Discussion						
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	Nicholas Joanow	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Sarah Cruz	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Monica Charris Tabares	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Wartyna Davis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Widney Polynice	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Jenny Mundell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	