

COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO COUNTY, MARYLAND

2020 Legislative Session

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RESOLUTION NO. 100-2020 (SM)

Introduced by: The President of the Council at the request of the Acting County Executive

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING FEATURE FLOORING, INC. AS A SOLE SOURCE VENDOR FOR THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF JETROCK PRODUCTS IN THE DETENTION CENTER AND TO WAIVE THE FORMAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESS FOR THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF SAID JETROCK PRODUCTS DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 2021.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Charter Section 802(A), any single purchase or contract involving an expenditure of more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) or such amount as may be set by legislative act of the County shall be made from or let by sealed bids or proposals; and

WHEREAS, on April 4, 2017, the County Council approved Legislative Bill 2017-04 enacting a new Purchasing Manual and setting the amount for competitive bidding to Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Charter Section 802(B), the County Council may waive the formal competitive bidding process for any single purchase or contract if the waiver will best serve the interest of the County; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Corrections desires to purchase and install JetRock products on the Detention Center kitchen floor; and

WHEREAS, Feature Flooring, Inc. is the sole source installer of JetRock products within the Mid-Atlantic Region; and

WHEREAS, the Acting County Executive, upon the recommendation from the Purchasing Agent and General Services, has determined that it is impractical to competitively bid the purchase and installation of the JetRock products, and Feature Flooring, Inc. is the only authorized dealer for JetRock products in the Mid-Atlantic Region; and

WHEREAS, the County Council has determined that the purchase and installation of JetRock products in the Detention Center is in the best interest of the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the County Council of Wicomico County, Maryland, that:

1. Feature Flooring, Inc. is authorized as a sole source vendor for the purchase and installation of JetRock products in the Detention Center during fiscal year 2021;
2. The formal competitive bidding requirement is waived for the purchase and installation of JetRock products during the fiscal year 2021; and

3. To ensure a transparent environment that is open and fair, the approval of Feature Flooring, Inc. as sole source vendor and the waiver of competitive bidding shall be valid only for a period of one year, commencing July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2021.

DONE at Salisbury, Maryland this 15th day of September, 2020.

ATTEST:

Laura Hurley
Laura Hurley, Council Administrator

COUNTY COUNCIL OF WICOMICO
COUNTY, MARYLAND

Larry W. Dodd (SEAL)
Larry W. Dodd, Council President

CERTIFICATION

THIS RESOLUTION was Adopted , Adopted with Amendments _____, Failed _____,
Withdrawn _____ by the County Council on September 15, 2020.

Certified by Laura Hurley
Laura Hurley, Council Administrator