

WEST DEPTFORD TOWNSHIP

RESOLUTION # 260

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST DEPTFORD AUTHORIZING A PERMIT FOR A FIREWORKS DISPLAY AND AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASING AGENT TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT FOR WEST DEPTFORD FAMILY FUN DAY PUBLIC FIREWORKS DISPLAY

WHEREAS, the Township of West Deptford will again sponsor a public display of fireworks to be held at the RiverWinds Community Center in accordance with West Deptford Family Fun Day, on the evening of September 23, 2017, with a rain date of Sunday, September 24, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Township of West Deptford is desirous of continuing the tradition of the Family Fun Day public fireworks display by sponsoring said event, and has solicited proposals which were opened on August 2, 2017 where two (2) proposals were received; and

WHEREAS, the Township of West Deptford desires to enter into a contract with Schaefer Pyrotechnics for the Family Fun Day fireworks display in the amount not to exceed \$5,000.00, with a deposit of \$2,500.00 to be paid one (1) week prior to event; and

WHEREAS, such display will be supervised by competent and experienced individuals in compliance with N.J.S.A. 21:3-4 of the State of New Jersey, and will not be a detriment to the community, but to the contrary will offer a substitute for the unlawful use of fireworks on the part of any individuals.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the West Deptford Township Committee as follows:

1. Pursuant to the authority granted under N.J.S.A. 21:3-1, N.J.S.A. 21:3-3 and N.J.S.A. 21:3-4 of the State of New Jersey, the Fire Official of West Deptford Township be and is hereby authorized to make, execute and deliver a good and sufficient license of permit to Schaefer Pyrotechnics, authorizing the public display of fireworks during the evening of Saturday September 23, 2017 at approximately 7:00 p.m., eastern daylight time, under the supervision of Schaefer Pyrotechnics, a fully qualified pyrotechnical firm, the company named in the application heretofore submitted to the Purchasing Agent. Said license shall be without force and effect until such time as the fireworks display company, Schaefer Pyrotechnics shall file with the Purchasing Agent insurance coverage naming the Township of West Deptford as an additional insured which is satisfactory to the Solicitor, which would indemnify any person who may receive or sustain injury to his or her person or property by reason of any discharge of the fireworks in question and a Hold Harmless Agreement to the benefit of the Township of West Deptford, in a form satisfactory to the Solicitor. All operations incidental to such display shall be subject to the approval of the Chief of Police, Samuel DiSimone and John Austin, Fire Official of the Township of West Deptford as required by law; and

2. If the rain date that is established is beyond the ninety-six (96) hour limit, the fireworks will be removed from the storage area in the Township and returned to the site twenty-four (24) hours prior to a new date of fireworks display.

3. The Purchasing Agent is hereby authorized to execute the attached contract for the fireworks display between the Township of West Deptford and the fireworks provider.

ADOPTED at the regular meeting of the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of West Deptford, County of Gloucester, and State of New Jersey August 16, 2017.

TOWNSHIP OF WEST DEPTFORD

By: 
DENICE DICARLO, MAYOR

ATTEST:


LEE ANN DEHART, RMC

CERTIFICATION

I, Lee Ann DeHart, Registered Municipal Clerk, of the Township of West Deptford, in the County of Gloucester, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was presented and duly adopted by the Township Committee at a meeting of the Township of West Deptford held on August 16, 2017.


LEE ANN DEHART, RMC