

RESOLUTION NO. 377

AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH HESS CORPORATION REGARDING THE DELIVERY OF NATURAL GAS SERVICE FOR VARIOUS COUNTY FACILITIES

Introduced: 10/12/10

By Public Works Committee:

WHEREAS, By Resolution No. 428 for 2004, this Honorable Body established the Albany County Energy Advisory Group consisting of the Commissioner of the Department of Management and Budget, the Purchasing Agent and the Executive Director of the Sewer District to act as the County's agent to obtain the lowest prices and the best terms pertaining to the purchase of natural gas and electric energy on behalf of the County, and

WHEREAS, The Energy Advisory Group, after a thorough evaluation, is requesting authorization to enter into an agreement with Hess Corporation regarding the delivery of natural gas for various County Facilities, and

WHEREAS, The procurement is through the Municipal Electric and Gas Alliance (MEGA) for the term commencing November 1, 2010 and ending October 31, 2012, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with Hess Corporation, One Hess Plaza, Woodbridge, NJ 07095 for the provision of natural gas to various County facilities in accordance with the bid specifications submitted, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That said agreement shall commence November 1, 2010 and end October 31, 2012 during which time Hess Corporation shall be responsible for all actions necessary to supply natural gas to the various County facilities in a safe and uninterrupted manner, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That payment for such contractual services is to be made from funds available in various County facility accounts, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

Adopted by unanimous vote. 10/12/10