

BOROUGH OF BRADLEY BEACH

RESOLUTION 2022-18

PROFESSIONAL CONTRACT APPOINTMENT CONFLICT COUNSEL

Mayor Fox offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, there exists a need for professional services for a **Conflict Counsel** for the calendar year 2022 pursuant to the provisions of **N.J.S.A 19:44A-20.5**; and

WHEREAS, the Borough has, through the fair and open process, publicly advertised for a Request for Proposals and Qualifications and said requests for Professional Services were received in the Office of the Municipal Clerk no later than 10 a.m. on December 16, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the Borough has reviewed all proposals received and has determined that the Mayor and Council desires to authorize the execution of a professional services contract between the listed person(s)/firm(s) and the Borough for the year of 2022

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Bradley Beach as follows:

1. The following firms are hereby appointed **Conflict Counsel** for the calendar year 2022 and are awarded a Professional Service Contract for professional legal services provided for the period of January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022.
 - **Eric M. Bernstein & Associates, LLC**
 - **Gluck Walrath, LLP**
 - **Cutolo Barros**
2. The contract is awarded without competitive bidding since the appointments involve members of recognized professions that are registered by law, therefore exempt under **N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5**.
3. The services rendered shall be in compliance with the Laws of New Jersey.
4. A copy of this resolution and the contract shall be placed on file with the Municipal Clerk.
5. A copy of this resolution shall be published in the newspaper as required by law within ten (10) days of its passage.

Seconded by Councilman Weber and adopted on roll call by the following vote:

	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mr. Bonnell				X
Mr. Gubitosi	X			
Mr. Sexsmith	X			
Mr. Weber	X			
Mayor Fox	X			

CERTIFICATION

I, Erica Kostyz, Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bradley Beach, Monmouth County, New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Governing Body at the January 1, 2022 Reorganization Meeting.

Erica Kostyz

Erica Kostyz, RMC, CMR
Municipal Clerk