

**RESOLUTION 2024-05-01
OF THE
ALBANY PARKING AUTHORITY**

WHEREAS, the Albany Parking Authority (“Authority”) wishes to enter into an agreement with the Downtown Albany BID (“BID”) for the installation of wayfinding signs throughout downtown Albany (“Wayfinding Signs”), which mark major downtown Albany landmarks and all of the Authority parking garages for both vehicular and pedestrian traffic; and

WHEREAS, the Authority is authorized by § 1493-d(11) of the Public Authorities Law of the State of New York to reconstruct, improve, maintain and operate the projects, projects being defined within § 1493-b(6) as any area or place operated or to be operated by the authority for the parking or storing of motor and other vehicles or any area or place which use is supported by the authority’s parking or storing of such vehicles and shall, without limiting the forgoing, include all real and personal property, driveways, roads, approaches, structures, terminals of all kinds, garages, meters, mechanical equipment, and all appurtenances and facilities proximate to, on, above, or under the ground which are used or usable in connection with such parking or storing of such vehicles in the area of city or which facilitates increased supply or demand for parking; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albany has given permission to the BID to create a uniform wayfinding sign package throughout downtown Albany; and


WHEREAS, the Authority having three parking garages in downtown Albany wishes to enter into an agreement with the BID to pay for a portion of the project as it directly benefits the Authority by directing visitors to its parking facilities; and

WHEREAS, the BID issued a request for proposals for the Wayfinding Signs due on April 12, 2024 and received bids from various qualified proposers and wish to award a contract in the amount of \$1,046,473.50 to complete the project; and

WHEREAS, the Authority wishes to reimburse the BID in order to complete the project and include signage for its garages in the scope of the project.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board authorizes the Executive Director of the Albany Parking Authority, Sean Palladino, to execute the agreement with the Downtown Albany BID in an amount not to exceed \$111,000.00, as a reimbursement for the installation and design of wayfinding signs in downtown Albany.

Dated: May 30, 2024


Secretary

Motion made by:

Seconded by:

Vote:

Bill Pettit
Jennifer Leponis
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