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Agenda: RESOLUTION EXERCISING ONE-YEAR OPTION WITH PLATINUM NETWORKS GROUP, LLC D/B/A PLATINUM NETWORKS FOR FLIR SYSTEM SUPPORT AND MAINTENANCE FOR PREAKNESS HEALTHCARE CENTER

THIS RESOLUTION WAS REQUESTED BY:
PREAKNESS HEALTHCARE CENTER

REVIEWED BY:

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APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

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Official Resolution#	
Meeting Date	2/11/2025
Introduced Date	2/5/2025
Adopted Date	
Agenda Item	22.
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Health and Human Services

COMMITTEE NAME

RESOLUTION EXERCISING ONE-YEAR OPTION WITH PLATINUM NETWORKS GROUP, LLC D/B/A PLATINUM NETWORKS FOR FLIR SYSTEM SUPPORT AND MAINTENANCE FOR PREAKNESS HEALTHCARE CENTER

WHEREAS, the County of Passaic (hereafter “County”) is a government body incorporated pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:18-1, et seq. and vested with all rights contained therein; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:20-1 the Board of County Commissioners for the County of Passaic (hereafter “Board”) is vested with managing the property, finances, and affairs of the County; and

WHEREAS, Preakness Healthcare Center (hereafter “Preakness”) is a New Jersey Department of Health licensed 406-bed skilled nursing facility that is owned and operated by the Board; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4, et seq., for every contract awarded by the County for the provision or performance of any goods or services, the cost of which in the aggregate exceeds the bid threshold established pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:11-3, shall be awarded by resolution of the Board to the lowest responsible bidder after public advertising for bids and bidding thereof; and

WHEREAS, on March 14, 2024, the Passaic County Purchasing Agent issued SB-24-043, FLIR System Support and Maintenance for Preakness Healthcare Center (“SB-24-043”) that solicited competitive pricing from qualified vendors for the goods and services sought therein; and

WHEREAS, on March 26, 2024, the Purchasing Agent unsealed responses received to SB-24-043; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Resolution R-24-307 dated April 9, 2024, a contract was awarded to Platinum Networks Group d/b/a Platinum Networks for a one-year contract for a period May 1, 2024 through April 30, 2025 in an amount not to exceed forty-four thousand six hundred dollars (\$44,600.00), with one (1)-year option to be exercised at the discretion of the Board; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Director of Preakness is recommending to exercise the first year option to Platinum Networks Group d/b/a Platinum Networks for a period commencing on May 1, 2025 to April 30, 2026 in an amount not to exceed twenty-four thousand (\$24,000.00) and 00/100 dollars; and

WHEREAS, funds are available in Account No. 5-01-27-172-001-219 and any other account that may be deemed appropriate by the Chief Financial Officer or his designee, and the availability of funds has been contingently certified by the Chief Financial Officer subject to sufficient funds being appropriated by the Board in the 2025 and/or subsequent years’ County budget(s); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:32-60-1, et seq., vendors executed the Non-Involvement in Prohibited Activities in Russia or Belarus Certification, attached hereto and made part of this Resolution, certifying the vendors are not involved in prohibited activities in Russia and Belarus, and the County confirmed vendors are not identified on the Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons list created by the Office of Foreign Assets Control; and

WHEREAS, this matter was discussed at the February 4, 2025, meeting of the Health and Human Services Committee and is recommended to the Board for approval; and

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4, et seq., the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Passaic (hereafter “Board”) hereby exercises the first year option to Platinum Networks Group d/b/a Platinum Networks for FLIR System Support and Maintenance for Preakness Healthcare Center, for a one (1) year term, commencing May 1, 2025 and expiring April 30, 2026 an amount not to exceed twenty-four thousand (\$24,000.00) and 00/100 dollars; and

LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk to the Board, County Counsel, Purchasing Agent, Executive Director of Preakness, and the Director of the Board are authorized to take any action necessary to carry out the purpose of this Resolution.

