

Mr. Mullen offered the following Resolution and moved in its adoption:

**RESOLUTION APPOINTING ZONING BOARD ENGINEER FOR THE
CALENDAR YEAR 2008
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN
CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Highlands Zoning Board has a need for professional engineering services as a non-fair and open contract to be provided to the Board for the calendar year 2008 pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5; and

WHEREAS, such professional engineering services services can only be provided by licensed professionals and **Joseph May, P.E.** of the firm of **CMX, Inc.**, 200 State Hwy 9, P.O. Box 900, Manalapan, N.J. 07726 is so recognized;

WHEREAS, the Board Secretary has determined and certified in writing that the value of the contract will exceed \$17,500; and

WHEREAS, CMX, Inc. has completed and submitted a Business Entity Disclosure Certification which certifies that CMX, Inc. has not made any reportable contributions to a political or candidate committee in the Borough of Highlands in the previous one year, and that the contract will prohibit CMX, Inc. from making any reportable contributions through the term of the contract; and

WHEREAS, CMX, Inc. has completed and submitted a Political Contribution Disclosure Form in accordance with P.L. 2005, c271; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et. seq. requires that notice with respect to contracts for professional services awarded without competitive bids must be publicly advertised;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough of Highlands Planning Board as follows:

1. Joseph May, P.E. of CMX, Inc. is hereby appointed as Zoning Board Engineer for the calendar 2008 and said appointment is made as a non-fair and open contract.
2. This contract is awarded without competitive bidding as "Professional Service" in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a) because it is for services performed by persons authorized by law to practice a recognized profession.
4. A copy of the Resolution shall be placed on file with the Board Secretary.
5. The Board Secretary is hereby directed to publish notice of this award as required by law.

Seconded by Mr. Mintzer and adopted on the following roll call vote:

ROLL CALL:

AYES: Mr. Braswell, Mr. Mintzer, Mr. Francy, Ms. Ryan, Mr. Fox,
Mr. Gallagher, Mr. Mullen

NAYES: None

ABSTAIN: None

DATE: January 3, 2008

CAROLYN CUMMINS, Board Secretary

I hereby certify this to be a true copy of the Resolution adopted by the Zoning Board of Adjustment of the Borough of Highlands on January 3, 2008.

BOARD SECRETARY