



Ocean County Board of Commissioners

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Board Meeting Agenda

Date: January 21, 2026 - 4:00 PM
Location: Administration Building
Room 119
101 Hooper Avenue
Toms River, NJ 08754

Agenda: Awarding a Professional Services Contract to Hackensack Meridian Team Health, P.C., dba Hackensack Meridian Works to provide Occupational Medical Services for On-The-Job Injuries and Illnesses, in an estimated amount not to exceed \$100,000.00, for the period of 2/1/2026 through 1/31/2027, with the option to extend for two (2) additional one-year periods. (PP2026-03)

Official Resolution#	2026000077
Meeting Date	01/21/2026
Introduced Date	01/21/2026
Adopted Date	01/21/2026
Agenda Item	I-1
CAF #	
Purchase Req. #	PP2026-03
Result	Adopted

COUNTY COMMISSIONER	PRES.	ABS.	MOVE	SEC	AYE	NAY	ABST.
Sadeghi	✓				✓		
Bacchione	✓		✓		✓		
Arace	✓			✓	✓		
Ellenbogen	✓				✓		
Gormley	✓				✓		

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS DOCUMENT IS A TRUE, COMPLETE AND ACCURATE COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION, ADOPTED BY OCEAN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, NJ AT THE MEETING REFERENCED THEREON

Michelle I. Gunther

Clerk Of The Board

RESOLUTION

January 21, 2026

WHEREAS, there exists a need for a licensed healthcare facility to provide Occupational Medical Services for On-The-Job Injuries and Illnesses for Ocean County Workers' Compensation Program; and

WHEREAS, the County of Ocean has publicly solicited Request for Proposals for the provision of Occupational Medical Services for On-The-Job Injuries and Illnesses in accordance with N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et.seq.; and

WHEREAS, the responses received by the County of Ocean were reviewed by the Ocean County Consultant Selection Review Committee in accordance with the criteria approved by the Ocean County Board of Commissioners for the evaluation of the same; and

WHEREAS, the Ocean County Consultant Selection Review Committee recommended the award of a Professional Services Agreement for Occupational Medical Services for On-The-Job Injuries and Illnesses to Hackensack Meridian Team Health, P. C., d/b/a Hackensack Meridian Works, for Occupational Medical Services for On-The-Job Injuries and Illnesses effective February 1, 2026 for an initial term of one (1) year, with an option to extend the contract for up to two (2) additional one (1) year terms; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law requires that the Resolution authorizing the award of contracts for Professional Services and the contract itself must be available for public inspection; and

WHEREAS, funds will be made available in the 2026 Ocean County Workers' Compensation Budget to cover the costs of these services for year 2026, funds will be made available in the trust account number 231-080-0308 for all workers' compensation expenses payable through the County's Third Party Claims Administrator, in an estimated amount not to exceed \$100,000.00; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE OCEAN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, as follows:

1. The Director and the Clerk of the Board are hereby authorized and directed to execute an Agreement for Occupational Medical Services for On-The-Job Injuries and Illnesses, **effective February 1, 2026 through January 31, 2027** with **Hackensack Meridian Team Health, P.C., d/b/a Hackensack Meridian Works**, 2-12 Corbett Way, Suite 101, Eatontown, New Jersey 07724.
2. A copy of this Agreement shall be kept on file and available for public inspection at the Office of the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners, Administration Building, 101 Hooper Avenue, Toms River, New Jersey.
3. This contract is awarded as a "Professional Service" in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a), as the services required in connection with this Agreement shall be provided by **licensed medical professionals** and constitute professional services as defined therein.
4. A notice of this action shall be published once as required by law.
5. The Contractor shall include the contract number on all papers, documents, invoices and vouchers pertaining to said contract.
6. Certified copies of this Resolution shall be made available to Ocean County Department of Finance, Ocean County Department of Employee Relations, Division of Risk Management and Hackensack Meridian Team Health, P.C., d/b/a Hackensack Meridian Works.