



Ocean County Board of Commissioners

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Board Meeting Agenda

Date: July 8, 2026 - 4:00 PM
Location: Administration Building
Room 119
101 Hooper Avenue
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Agenda: Rescinding K9 DOG FOOD AND SUPPLIES, Item No. 8 from The Natural Pet, Inc., as they are unable to honor their contract. Recommendation is made to award Item No. 8 to The Hungry Puppy, the next lowest qualified bidder. (B2026-42)

Official Resolution#	2026000866
Meeting Date	07/08/2026
Introduced Date	07/08/2026
Adopted Date	07/08/2026
Agenda Item	m-10
CAF #	
Purchase Req. #	B2026-42
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

July 8, 2026

WHEREAS, on March 10, 2026, pursuant to legal advertisements therefor, sealed bids were received for the furnishing and delivery of K9 DOG FOOD AND SUPPLIES for the County of Ocean; and

WHEREAS, on May 6, 2026, Contract B2026-42, Item No. 8 was awarded to Natural Pet, Inc. The County Purchasing Agent has now requested Item No. 8 be rescinded from Natural Pet, Inc., as vendor is unable to honor their contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS of the COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, as follows:

1. The aforementioned Contract dated May 6, 2026, awarded to NATURAL PET, INC., is hereby rescinded.

2. The Director and Clerk of this Board are hereby authorized and directed to enter into an amendatory contract with THE HUNGRY PUPPY, the next lowest qualified bidder, on Item No. 8 for the contract period from date of award through May 5, 2027 or until delivery is complete unless otherwise stated. The County reserves the right to extend the term of the contract pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-15.

3. The contract number must be placed on all papers, documents, invoices and vouchers pertaining to said contract, the number being B2026-42.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of the Resolution shall be made available to the County Auditor, Purchasing Department, Finance Department, Fire Marshal, Prosecutor's Office, Sheriff's Office, Natural pet, Inc., and The Hungry Puppy.

[THE HUNGRY PUPPY] RESPONSE DOCUMENT REPORT

Bid No. TBD

K9 DOG FOOD AND SUPPLIES

Line Item	Description	Est. Qty.	Unit of Measure	Unit Cost	Total Cost	No Bid	Delivery, A.R.O.	Mfr./Packaging	Comments
3	Blue Buffalo Health Bars Dog Biscuits Apples & Yogurt, 3.5 lb., As Specified, or Equal		PKG	No Bid	No Bid	X			
4	Blue Buffalo Health Bars Dog Biscuits Banana & Yogurt, 1 lb. Pkg., As Specified, or Equal	30	PKG	\$8.99	\$269.70				
5	Blue Buffalo Health Bars Dog Biscuits Pumpkin & Cinnamon, 1 lb. Pkg., As Specified, or Equal	35	PKG	\$8.99	\$314.65				
6	Fromm 4-Star, WhiteFish Potato, 26 lb., As Specified, or Equal	60	BAG	\$56.99	\$3,419.40				
7	Fromm Gold Adult, Chicken & Barley, 30 lb., As Specified, or Equal	30	BAG	\$50.99	\$1,529.70				
8	Greenies Regular (for dogs 25-50 lb.) Dental Treats, 36 oz., As Specified, or Equal	25	PKG	\$38.99	\$974.75				

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