

RESOLUTION NO. 3-2021

**RESOLUTION AWARDING FOOD SERVICE
CONTRACT TO UNIDINE CORPORATION**

WHEREAS, there exists an essential need for food and dietary services to serve the guests of the New Jersey Firemen's Home; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Firemen's Home (Home) solicited a Request for Qualifications (hereafter RFQ) pursuant to a "fair and open process" in order to choose a qualified entity to provide such licensed and professional services to the Home including direct solicitation to four (4) separate food service companies and publication in the Star Ledger; and

WHEREAS, one (1) submission was received from Unidine Corporation of Boston, Massachusetts with an annual cost of Nine Hundred Seventy Three Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty (\$973,820.00) Dollars for a term of three (3) years with additional one (1) year options per Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, Unidine Corporation has experience serving the Home and its guests for over a decade and is recommended for award of the Food Service Contract by the Superintendent; and

WHEREAS, the RFQ has been reviewed and found to be in order by the Solicitor; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Committee also recommended the Food Service Contract award to Unidine Corporation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Full Board of Managers of the New Jersey Firemen's Home to award the Food Service contract to Unidine Corporation per its RFQ submission;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Superintendent be authorized to execute a contract with Unidine Corporation consistent with its RFQ submission and in a form as approved by the Solicitor.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the Full Board of Managers of the New Jersey Firemen's Home held on the 9th day of January, 2021.

ATTEST

APPROVED

PAUL McDOUGALL, Secretary

ANTHONY FRATO, SR., Chairman
Board of Managers