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# Resolution of the City of Newark, N.J.

NO. 786-I

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## Title Page

**Dept/ Agency:** Law

**Action:** ( ) Ratifying (X) Authorizing ( ) Amending

**Type of Service:** Professional Services Contract

**Purpose:** To provide Legal Services concerning Workers Compensation Matters

**Entity Name:** The Law Offices of Martin M. Glazer

**Entity Address:** 40 Clinton Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07102

**Contract Amount:** An amount not to exceed \$50,000.00

**Funding Source:** 2019 Budget/ Law Department

**Contract Period:** January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019

**Contract Basis:** ( ) Bid ( ) State Vendor (X) Prof. Ser. ( ) EUS

(X) Fair & Open ( ) No Reportable Contributions ( ) RFP (X) RFQ

( ) Private Sale ( ) Grant ( ) Sub-recipient ( ) n/a

**Additional Information:**

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Council Member \_\_\_\_\_ presents the following Resolution:

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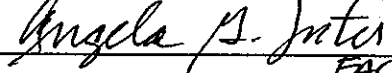
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Council Member Council of the Whole presents the following Resolution:

**WHEREAS**, the City of Newark is involved in ongoing Legal Matters and therefore has a need to acquire Legal Services; and

**WHEREAS**, Legal Services are Professional Services, exempt from the requirement for public bidding, pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i); and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporation Counsel of the City of Newark caused to be published on the City of Newark's website a Notice of Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for Workers Compensation Counsel Services on or about September 10, 2018; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Newark received a total of three (3) proposals in response to the RFQ for Workers' Compensation Counsel Services; and

**WHEREAS**, The Law Offices of Martin M. Glazer, 40 Clinton Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07102, submitted a proposal and it was found based upon price and other factors to be in the best interest of the City of Newark to accept the proposal for the purpose of providing Legal Services concerning Workers Compensation Counsel Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Newark wishes to enter into a contract with The Law Offices of Martin M. Glazer, to provide Legal Services concerning Workers Compensation Matters, in an amount not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$50,000.00), for a period of January 1, 2019, through December 31, 2019, which shall cover those existing matters currently being handled by The Law Office of Martin M. Glazer as well as new matters that may arise during the contract term; and

**WHEREAS**, the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.) requires that notice of the award of contracts for "Professional Services" without competitive bidding must be published in a local newspaper; and

**WHEREAS**, this contract is for an amount over \$17,500.00 and is being awarded as a fair and open contract pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5; and

**WHEREAS**, the Municipal Council adopted the Contractor Pay-to-Play Reform Ordinance, Newark, New Jersey, Municipal Code § 2:4-22C, which forbids the award of a contract to a Business Entity, as defined therein, which has made or solicited political contributions to Newark Municipal and County of Essex Candidates, office holders having ultimate responsibility for the award of a contract; candidate committees of the aforementioned candidates; and political or political party committees of the City of

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Newark or County of Essex; and continuing political committees or political action committees regularly engaged in the support of the City of Newark municipal or County of Essex elections; and certain other political party or candidate committees, in excess of certain thresholds.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, THAT:**

1. The Mayor of the City of Newark and/or his designee, the Corporation Counsel, are authorized on behalf of the City of Newark to execute a contract with The Law Offices of Martin M. Glazer, 40 Clinton Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07102, to provide Legal Services concerning Workers Compensation Matters in an amount not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$50,000.00), for the period of January 1, 2019, through December 31, 2019, which shall cover those existing matters currently being handled by The Law Offices of Martin M. Glazer as well as new matters that may arise during the contract term.
2. This contract is being awarded pursuant to the fair and open procedures of the State Pay-to-Play Law (N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5) and pursuant to the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i)) and is in compliance with the City of Newark's Contractor Pay-to-Play Reform Ordinance, Newark, New Jersey Municipal Code § 2:4-22C.
3. This is a contract which shall be awarded in one fiscal year although the date on which it properly takes effect falls in the next fiscal year. Accordingly, this contract is subject to the availability and appropriation of sufficient funds in the year in which it takes effect. New Jersey Administrative Code 5:30-5.5(e). Funds for this contract in the amount not to exceed \$50,000.00 shall be provided from the City of Newark 2019 Budget, Law Department.
4. A copy of the executed agreement herein authorized shall be filed in the Office of the City Clerk by the Corporation Counsel and shall be made available for public inspection.
5. A notice of this action shall be published in the newspaper authorized by law to publish a legal advertisement and as required by law within ten (10) days of the adoption of this resolution.

**STATEMENT**

This resolution authorizes the Mayor of the City of Newark and/or his designee, the Corporation Counsel, to enter into a contract for Legal Services for Workers' Compensation Matters with The Law Offices of Martin M. Glazer, 40 Clinton Street, 2nd Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07102 in an amount not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars and Zero Cents (\$50,000.00), for the period of January 1, 2019, to December 31, 2019.

CERTIFIED TO BY ME THIS

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RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE														
Council Member	AYE	NAY	NV	AB	Council Member	AYE	NAY	NV	AB	Council Member	AYE	NAY	NV	AB
Amador	✓				McCallum, Jr.	✓				Quintana, Vice Pres.	✓			
Gonzalez	✓				McIver	✓				Ramos, Jr.	✓			
James	✓				Osborne				✓	Crumip, President	✓			
✓ Indicates Vote				AB - Absent					NV - Not Voting					

Adopted at a meeting of the Municipal Council of the City of Newark, N.J.,

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President of the Council

City Clerk

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