

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY COUNCIL - EASTON, PA

Ordinance No. SESSION 2023 Bill No. 853

Introduced by John P. Goffredo and Thomas A. Giovanni on August 17, 2023

Enacted Effective

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 648-2018, as Amended, Entitled, "AN ORDINANCE OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF CERTAIN PROCEDURES RELATED TO THE SOLICITATION AND AWARD OF PUBLIC CONTRACTS WITHIN NORTHAMPTON COUNTY; PROVIDING FOR CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTORS; PROVIDING FOR CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBCONTRACTORS TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS; PROVIDING FOR PUBLIC CONTRACT REVIEW PROCESSES; REPEALING INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES; CONTAINING A SAVINGS CLAUSE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE"

WHEREAS, on November 4, 2018, Northampton County duly enacted Ordinance No. 648-2018 (hereinafter Responsible Contractor Ordinance (RCO)), and was amended on September 4, 2020 by Ordinance No. 691-2020; and

WHEREAS, the RCO was adopted by Northampton County for the purpose of improving performance and quality control of Northampton County Public Works projects by establishing certain qualification requirements for contractors, subcontractors and construction craft personnel utilized on such projects subject to the RCO; and

WHEREAS, Northampton County Council has determined that the following amendments to the RCO are required and warranted to ensure the effective administration of the RCO in accordance with the stated policy goals and objectives hereinabove referenced.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY COUNCIL:

Northampton County Council adopts the following language
for §2(b) of Responsible Contractor Ordinance No. 648-2018
(amended):

(b) Any contractors or subcontractors with their registered
office in Lehigh or Northampton County shall not be subject to
the requirements of Ordinance No. 648-2018 (amended) §3.
Contractor Responsibility Certifications (c) (8), (9), (11) and
(15).

This ordinance was advertised on the ___ day of
_____ and was adopted by the Northampton County Council on the
___ day of _____.

Attest:

Linda M. Zembo
Clerk to Council

Kerry L. Myers
County Council President

Lamont G. McClure
County Executive