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Subject: J. P. MASCARO & SONS WINS 10-YEAR SLUDGE HAULING CONTRACT FROM POTTSTOWN BOROUGH AUTHORITY

Local solid waste removal company, J. P. Mascaro & Sons, was awarded a 10year sludge hauling contract by the Pottstown Borough Authority at its meeting on December 19, 2023. The contract will be serviced by Mascaro's Berks County Division and Mascaro will be responsible for the transportation and disposal of all biosolids generated by the wastewater treatment plant owned by the Pottstown Borough Authority.

Mascaro will perform its transportation services in conjunction with a long-term, 30-year Sludge Disposal and Leachate Acceptance Agreement between Pottstown Borough Authority and Mascaro that was entered into on July 18, 2023. Under that Agreement, which is favorable to both parties, Mascaro, at its Pioneer Crossing Landfill, will dispose of sludge from the Authority's Wastewater Treatment Plant, and the Authority, at its modern plant, will accept and treat leachate from the Pioneer Crossing Landfill. Speaking to both contracts, Mascaro company President, Pat Mascaro, said, "Our company has had a long affiliation with Pottstown, and we look forward to continuing to serve the Borough and the Authority for years to come. We are pleased that Mascaro and the Authority will be providing each other with important and needed reciprocal services in the long-term."

J.P. Mascaro & Sons is a local company founded and headquartered in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania and is one of the largest privately owned service companies in the country. The company was founded by Joseph P. Mascaro, Sr. In 1970, with the hard work of his five sons, the company prospered. Today the company today has the benefit of an emerging third generation of family members to guide it into the future.

Company president, Pat Mascaro noted that, "Our company possesses a strategic infrastructure of operating divisions as well as recycling, transfer, composting and disposal facilities in the region that has enabled it to be a major provider of services like those that we will be providing to the Pottstown Borough Authority".

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