

ORDINANCE 2023-07

CAPITAL ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS, NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE MAKING OF VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AND ACQUISITIONS IN, BY AND FOR THE TOWNSHIP, APPROPRIATING THEREFOR THE SUM OF \$805,000 AND PROVIDING THAT SUCH SUM SO APPROPRIATED SHALL BE RAISED FROM THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND OF THE TOWNSHIP.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham, in the County of Morris, New Jersey, as follows:

Section 1. The Township of Chatham, in the County of Morris, New Jersey (the "Township") is hereby authorized to make various public improvements and acquisitions in, by and for the Township, including, but not limited to:

(A) Police Department

Acquisition of new automotive vehicles, including original apparatus and equipment, consisting of SUVs

Estimated Cost: \$120,000

(B) Roads and Sidewalks

Undertaking of improvements to various roads and construction of sidewalks, as set forth on a list prepared or to be prepared by the Township Engineer and placed on file with the Township Clerk and hereby approved as if set forth herein in full. Depending upon the contract price and other exigent circumstances, and upon approval by the Township Committee, there may be additions to or deletions from the aforesaid list.

Estimated Cost: \$500,000

(C) Building Improvements

Installation of new shingle roof on Department of Public Works Storage 1.

Estimated Cost: \$118,000

(D) Volunteer Fire Departments

Acquisition of new additional or replacement equipment and machinery consisting of self-contained breathing apparatus equipment, turnout gear and various items of firefighting, emergency and safety equipment.

Estimated Cost: \$67,000

Section 2. The sum of \$805,000 is hereby appropriated to the payment of the cost of the improvements and acquisitions authorized and described in Section 1 hereof (hereinafter referred to as "purpose"). Said appropriation shall be raised from the Capital Improvement Fund of the Township, as hereinafter provided. The sum of \$805,000 is hereby appropriated from the Capital Improvement Fund of the Township to the payment of the cost of said purposes.

Section 3. Said improvements and acquisitions are lawful capital improvements of the Township having a period of usefulness of at least five (5) years. Said improvements and

acquisitions shall include all work, materials and appurtenances necessary and suitable therefor. Said improvements and acquisitions shall be made as general improvements, no part of the cost of which shall be assessed against property specially benefited.

Section 4. The capital budget is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this capital ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency therewith and the resolutions promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget and capital program as approved by the Director, Division of Local Government Services, is on file with the Township Clerk and is available for public inspection.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect at the time and in the manner provided by law.

Introduced: June 27, 2023

Adopted: July 18, 2023

Attest:


Gregory J. LaCorte, Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BY: 
Ashley Felice, Mayor