RESOLUTION 2026-180

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CONTRACT TO TALVA ENERGY FOR DEVELOPMENT, ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION SERVICES

WHEREAS, the Township of Chatham (the "**Township**"), pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law, specifically N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(a)(i) (the "**LPCL**"), is authorized to enter into contracts for professional services without public advertising for bids and bidding therefor; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the LCPL, the Township desires to obtain professional services for development, engineering and construction administration services in connection with renewable energy projects at the Townships' Department of Public Works facility, 405 Southern Boulevard, Chatham, New Jersey 07928; Wastewater Treatment Plan, 27 Tanglewood Lane, Chatham, New Jersey 07928; and Municipal Building, 58 Meyersville Road, Chatham, New Jersey 07928; and

WHEREAS, the Township received a proposal dated September 1, 2026 from Talva Energy, 131 State Route 94 South, Warwick, New York 10990 ("**Talva Energy**") to provide development, engineering and construction administration services to the Township as set forth in the proposal (the "**Proposal**"); and

WHEREAS, the Proposal provides for a combined scope total of Two Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars ($275,000.00) for services relating to rooftop solar, carport solar and floating solar at the aforementioned Township locations; and

WHEREAS, the Township desires to authorize the award of a contract to Talva Energy to provide the services to the Township in accordance with and pursuant to the Proposal.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham that authorization is given as follows:

1. The aforementioned recitals are incorporated herein as though fully set forth at length.

2. The Township Committee hereby authorizes the award of a contract to Talva Energy to provide the development, engineering and construction-related services to the Township in accordance with and pursuant to the Proposal in the combined scope amount of Two Hundred Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars ($275,000.00).

3. Within ten days of the adoption of this Resolution, notice of the nature, duration and amount of the contract shall be posted on the Township's website and a copy of this Resolution and the contract shall be on file and available in the offices of the Township.

4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Adopted: November 10, 2026

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM IN
THE COUNTY OF MORRIS

Attest:

By _____
Jennifer Rowland, Mayor

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Gregory J. LaConte, Clerk

CERTIFICATION OF THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

I hereby certify that as of November 10, 2026, sufficient funds are available to carry out the purpose of this Resolution in accounts C-04-55-960-020 and C-06-55-570-552.

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Debra A. King
Chief Financial Officer