RESOLUTION 2024-091

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF SODIUM HYDROXIDE LIQUID FROM PVS MINIBULK, INC., PURSUANT TO MORRIS COUNTY COOPERATIVE PRICING COUNCIL CONTRACT #17, WATER TREATMENT CHEMICALS, ITEM 10

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11(5) authorizes contracting units to establish a cooperative pricing system and to enter into cooperative pricing agreements with other contracting units as defined under N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(1) for its procurement of goods and services; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Chatham (the "Township"), as a local government contracting unit, is a member of the Morris County Cooperative Pricing Council (the "MCCPC"); and

WHEREAS, the Township may, without advertising for bids, purchase any materials, supplies, services, or equipment under an approved cooperative contract, whereby the contracting unit, MCCPC, serving as the lead agent, has complied with the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1, et seq.) (the "LPCL"); and

WHEREAS, the Township needs to purchase caustic soda, 50% technical grade (the "Sodium Hydroxide Liquid"), as listed on the MCCPC Contract #17, Water Treatment Chemicals, Item #10 (the "Contract"); and

WHEREAS, the MCCPC awarded a contract to PVS Minibulk, Inc., 10900 Harper Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48213 ("PVS"), for the purchase of Sodium Hydroxide Liquid under the Contract for a period from January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer of the Township has certified that adequate funds for such a purchase are available.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Chatham, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, that:

- 1. The forgoing Recitals are hereby incorporated herein by reference as if set forth at length.
- 2. The Township hereby authorizes the purchase of Sodium Hydroxide Liquid from PVS for a period commencing on January 1, 2024 and terminating on December 31, 2024, pursuant to MCCPC Contract #17, Item 10.
- 3. A certified copy of this Resolution shall be provided by the Township Clerk to each of the following:
 - i. Township Purchasing Agent

ii. Township Chief Financial Officer

iii. Township Director of Public Works

iv. PVS

4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Adopted: March 26, 2024

TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM IN

THE COUNTY OF MORRIS

Attest:

Gregory J. LaConte, Clerk

Stacey Ewald, Mayor

CERTIFICATION OF THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

I hereby certify that as of March 26, 2024, sufficient funds are or will be available upon adoption of the budget for year 2024 to carry out the purpose of this Resolution.

Debra A. King

Chief Financial Officer