TOWNSHIP OF LONG HILL RESOLUTION 22-184

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CONTRACT WITH MUNICIPAL RESOURCES, INC. TO CONDUCT A THROUGH REVIEW OF THE OPERATIONS OF THE LONG HILL TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO IMPROVE ITS OPERATIONS

WHEREAS, the Long Hill Township Committee wishes to retain an outside consultant to evaluate the current command and line-level staff of the Long Hill Township Police Department ("LHPD") to gain an understanding of the current state of police functionality and effectiveness and how the service can be better delivered, and also to review current policies, practices, operations, budget, staffing and supervision needs, facilities, communications, and other components of the LHPD impacting the delivery of services.

WHEREAS, State Law provides that:

Nothing . . . contained [in *N.J.S.A 40A:14-118*] shall prevent the appointment by the governing body of committees or commissions to conduct investigations of the operation of the police force, and the delegation to such committees or commissions of such powers of inquiry as the governing body deems necessary or to conduct such hearing or investigation authorized by law. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the appropriate authority, or any executive or administrative officer charged with the general administrative responsibilities within the municipality, from examining at any time the operations of the police force. . . . (N.J.S.A. 40A:14-118); and

WHEREAS, the Township has received and reviewed proposals from two consulting firms; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee has determined that it is in the best interest of the Township to retain Municipal Resources, Inc. to complete this study in accordance with its proposal dated June 3, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified in writing the availability of adequate funds to pay the maximum amount of this contract; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Long Hill, in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. A consulting contract is hereby awarded to Municipal Resources, Inc. in accordance with its proposal, for the following consideration:

Consideration: (not to exceed) \$30,000.00

Term: Until completion of the project

- 2. The Business Disclosure Entity Certification and the Determination of Value shall be placed on file with this resolution, and that notice of these awards be advertised one in the Long Hill News.
- 3. The Contractor shall secure and maintain insurance with the following minimum limits

Comprehensive General Liability \$1,000,000.00
Comprehensive Automobile Liability \$1,000,000.00
Workmen's Compensation Statutory

The certificates of insurance shall be acceptable to the Township Risk Manager and the Township Attorney.

This contract shall be charged to budget line item(s) 2-01-0020-00110-2-00201. The certification 4. of available funds by the Financial Officer shall be attached to the original of this resolution and shall be maintained in the files of the Township Clerk.

INTRODUCED	SECONDED	COMMITTEE	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
		DORSI	Х			
X		LAVENDER	X			
	Х	PISERCHIA	X			
		RAE	X			
		VERLEZZA	X			

I, Megan Phillips, Township Clerk of the Township of Long Hill, County of Morris, State of New Jerse	y,
hereby certify this to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Committee June 22, 20	

Megan Philips, RMC Township Clerk

Certification of Funds

I, Randy Bahr, Chief Financial Officer of the Township of Long Hill, do hereby certify that the funds will be available in account 2-01-0020-00110-2-00201.

Randy Bahr Chief Financial Officer Dated: June 22, 2022