AWARD OF CONTRACT TO FOLEY INC. OF 855 CENTENNIAL AVE., PISCATAWAY, NEW JERSEY TO UTILZE THE NJPA COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEM CONTRACT #NJPA 032515-CAT, TO PURCHASE A 2017 EXCAVATOR MODEL 308E2 CATERPILLAR IN THE AMOUNT OF \$110,123.00 TO BE FUNDED THROUGH THE 2018 CAPITAL FUND

WHEREAS, the Township of Bridgewater Public Works Department wishes to utilize the NJPA Cooperative Pricing System to purchase Case Caterpillar, and;

WHEREAS, the use of the NJPA cooperative purchasing agreements authorized by the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11, and;

WHEREAS, Foley Inc. located on 855 Centennial Ave., Piscataway, New Jersey has been awarded NJPA Cooperative Pricing System, Contract # NJPA 032515-CAT, and;

WHEREAS, Superintendent of Public Works/Deputy Director of Municipal Services Thomas Forsythe and the Township Qualified Purchasing Agent, Rose Witt recommend the utilization of this contract, and

WHEREAS, the award of the contract for 2017 Model 308E2 Caterpillar list price of \$169,727.00 less the discount for NJPA Cooperative Pricing and Trade In allowance for a 2005 Model CX75SP Case of \$21,500.00, and;

WHEREAS, the cost of the 2017 Model 308E2 Caterpillar is \$110,123.00 an approved capital purchase, and;

WHEREAS, the Chief Finance Officer Natasha Turchan shall certify the availability of funds from account number 04-2018-1810-0000-4-0000, and;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater authorizes that Foley Inc. be awarded the contract for the aforementioned equipment, and;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Qualified Purchasing Agent Rose Witt issue the appropriate purchase order in the amount of \$110.123.00

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

AWARD OF CONTRACT UNDER STATE CONTRACT A88758 FOR ONE 2019 F350 EXTENDED CAB & CHASSIS TO WINNER FORD, 250 HADDONFIELD ROAD, CHERRY HILL NEW JERSEY AS AN APPROVED 2018 CAPITAL PURCHASE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$65,731.00

WHEREAS, the Township of Bridgewater wishes to purchase one 2019 Ford F30 Extended Cab & Chassis from the authorized State Contract Vendor under the New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program authorized by the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12, and

WHEREAS, Winner Ford, 250 Haddenfield Road, Cherry Hill, New Jersey, has been awarded State Contract Number A88758 for this vehicle, and

WHEREAS, Rose Witt, Qualified Purchasing Agent and the Township Superintendent of Public Works, Thomas Forsythe recommend the utilization of this contract for the approved capital purchase; and

WHEREAS, the cost for the vehicle is \$65,731.00

WHEREAS, the Natasha Turchan, Chief Finance Officer has certified the availability of the funds for the purchase ,and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater that Winner Ford be awarded the contract for the aforementioned vehicle

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Rose Witt, Township Qualified Purchasing Agent shall issue the appropriate purchase order in the amount of \$65,731.00

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

AWARD OF HVAC SERVICE CONTRACT FOR THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, PUBLIC WORKS BUILDING AND SENIOR CENTER TO AIR SYSTEMS MAINTENANCE INC. 718 JEFFERSON AVE. KENILWORTH NEW JERSEY FOR \$9,782.00

WHEREAS, the Township of Bridgewater has a need for annual maintenance for the HVAC Systems in the Administration Building, Public Works Building and the Senior Center and;

WHEREAS, Air Systems Maintenance Inc. will provide yearly maintenance services for the Administration Building Public Works Building and the Senior Center for \$9,782.00 and;

WHEREAS, Air Systems Maintenance Inc. will provide on call services for repair and extra work of the rate of \$115.00/per hour per with additional charges for weekend and holidays; and

WHEREAS Air Systems Maintenance Inc. is a certified service provider for our HVAC systems and;

WHEREAS, the use of the same provider for the maintenance and on call service will be beneficial to the Township of Bridgewater and;

WHEREAS, the Superintendent Public Works Department/Deputy Director of Municipals Service Thomas Forsythe recommends the contract for maintenance and on call services with Air Systems Maintenance Inc. and;

WHEREAS, the Township Attorney Chris Corsini has reviewed the contract and recommends the award of the contract and;

WHEREAS, the Chief Finance Officer Natasha Turchan will certify the availability of funds prior to the issuance of a purchase order for each service call.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater authorizes Township Qualified Purchasing agent Rose Witt to enter into the contract with Air Systems Maintenance Inc. for the 2018/2019 annual maintenance and on call services at the rates stated above not to exceed additional \$50,000.00

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	✓			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	✓			
		Rose				\checkmark

AWARD OF CONTRACT TO JTG CONSTRUCTION, 188 JEFFERSON STREET, SUITE 387, NEWARK, NJ 07105, FOR THE BWT-5 ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (HARDING ROAD & BYRD AVENUE), IN THE SUM OF \$266,850.72, FUNDED THROUGH THE 2018 CAPITAL FUND

WHEREAS, James T. Naples, Township Administrator and David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, have determined that there is a need for the acquisition of the following goods and services: **BWT-5 Road Improvement Project (Harding Road & Byrd Avenue)**;

WHEREAS, the project will consist of improvements to Harding Road and Byrd Avenue including but not limited to milling and overlay of the pavement with full-depth reconstruction in certain areas, and storm sewer and drainage upgrades of Harding Road & Byrd Avenue. Harding Road construction limits are from approximately 30 feet westerly of Victor Street easterly to Route 202/206. Byrd Avenue construction limits are from approximately 175 feet west of William Street easterly to Route 202/206. All disturbed areas will be restored to their original condition;

WHEREAS, a notice of advertisement for bids and an Invitation to Bid were prepared and advertised in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were opened and read on Thursday, September 6, 2018, at 10:30 A.M., in accordance with the requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, three (3) bids were received as follows:

	Total
JTG Construction	\$266,850.72
Black Rock Enterprises, LLC	\$316,081.67
Top Line Construction Corp.	\$354,207.72

WHEREAS, David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, and Rose Witt, Qualified Purchasing Agent have reviewed the bids and recommend that the award of contract be made to JTG Construction, in the amount of \$266,850.72 as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Corsini, Deputy Township Attorney has reviewed the bid proposal package of the two lowest bidders, declares them to be in conformance with the Township Instructions to Bidders and the Local Public Contracts Law and recommends an award of contract to JTG Construction as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, funds are available to make such purchase or acquisition and have been certified as such by the local finance officer, said certification being attached to the resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. An award of contract for the BWT-5 Road Improvement Project (Harding Road & Byrd Avenue), as outlined hereinabove, is hereby made to JTG Construction as the lowest responsible bidder in the amount of \$266,850.72.

2. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Township standard form of Contract for Goods and Services reference herein and made a part of this award of contract as well as any non substantive modifications thereto and related constituent documents.

3. The Township Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Qualified Purchasing Agent, Chief Financial Officer, Township Engineer, Schwanewede/Hals Engineering, Consulting Engineer, Township Attorney and JTG Construction

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

AWARD OF CONTRACT TO YOUR WAY CONSTRUCTION, INC., 404 COLT STREET IRVINGTON, NJ 07111, FOR THE ELM DRIVE ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, IN THE SUM OF \$227,935.15, FUNDED THROUGH THE 2018 CAPITAL FUND

WHEREAS, James T. Naples, Township Administrator and David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, have determined that there is a need for the acquisition of the following goods and services: **Elm Drive Road Improvement Project**;

WHEREAS, the project will consist of improvements to Elm Drive including but not limited to milling and overlay of the pavement with full-depth reconstruction in certain areas, some curbing, storm sewer and drainage upgrades of Elm Drive and a portion of Hemlock Drive. Construction limits are the entire length of Elm Drive and Hemlock Drive from the limits of the Colonial Way Improvement Project (approximately 700 feet southwest of Elm Drive) to the northern point of tangency of Elm Drive. All disturbed areas will be restored to their original condition.;

WHEREAS, a notice of advertisement for bids and an Invitation to Bid were prepared and advertised in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were opened and read on Thursday, September 6, 2018, at 11:00 A.M., in accordance with the requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, three (3) bids were received as follows:

	Total
Your Way Construction, Inc.	\$227,935.15
Black Rock Enterprises, LLC	\$253,956.36
Top Line Construction Corp.	\$256,680.05

WHEREAS, David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, and Rose Witt, Qualified Purchasing Agent have reviewed the bids and recommend that the award of contract be made to Your Way Construction, Inc., in the amount of \$227,935.15 as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Corsini, Deputy Township Attorney has reviewed the bid proposal package of the two lowest bidders, declares them to be in conformance with the Township Instructions to Bidders and the Local Public Contracts Law and recommends an award of contract to Your Way Construction, Inc. as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, funds are available to make such purchase or acquisition and have been certified as such by the local finance officer, said certification being attached to the resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. An award of contract for the Elm Drive Road Improvement Project, as outlined hereinabove, is hereby made to Your Way Construction, Inc. as the lowest responsible bidder in the amount of \$227,935.15.

2. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Township standard form of Contract for Goods and Services reference herein and made a part of this award of contract as well as any non substantive modifications thereto and related constituent documents.

3. The Township Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Qualified Purchasing Agent, Chief Financial Officer, Township Engineer, Schwanewede/Hals Engineering, Consulting Engineer, Township Attorney and Your Way Construction, Inc.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

AWARD OF CONTRACT TO TOP LINE CONSTRUCTION CORP., 22 FIFTH STREET, SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876, FOR THE GARRETSON ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT - SECTION VI (EASTON TURNPIKE TO HILL LANE), IN THE SUM OF \$771,367.59, FUNDED THROUGH THE 2018 CAPITAL FUND

WHEREAS, the Township Administrator and Township Engineer have determined that there is a need for the acquisition of the following goods and services: Garretson Road Improvement Project - Section VI;

WHEREAS, the project will consist of improvements to Garretson Road including but not limited to milling and overlay of the pavement with full-depth reconstruction in certain areas, storm sewer and drainage upgrades, areas of new curb including curb replacement, upgrading sanitary sewer force main and valves, upgraded Handicap ramps and sidewalks, and driveway entrance repair. All disturbed areas will be restored to their original condition;

WHEREAS, a notice of advertisement for bids and an Invitation to Bid were prepared and advertised in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were opened and read on Thursday, September 6, 2018, at 10:00 AM, in accordance with the requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, five (5) bids were received as follows:

	Total
Top Line Construction Corp.	\$771,367.59
Assuncao Brothers Inc.	\$782,679.17
Black Rock Enterprises, LLC	\$799,488.77
Your Way Construction	\$814,279.78
Reivax Contracting	\$837,984.60

WHEREAS, David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, and Rose Witt, Qualified Purchasing Agent have reviewed the bids and recommend that the award of contract be made to Top Line Construction Corp., in the amount of \$771,367.59 as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Corsini, Deputy Township Attorney has reviewed the bid proposal package of the two lowest bidders, declares them to be in conformance with the Township Instructions to Bidders and the Local Public Contracts Law and recommends an award of contract to Top Line Construction Corp. as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, funds are available to make such purchase or acquisition and have been certified as such by the local finance officer, said certification being attached to the resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. An award of contract for the Garretson Road Improvement Project - Section VI, as outlined hereinabove, is hereby made to Top Line Construction Corp. as the lowest responsible bidder in the amount of \$771,367.59.

2. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Township standard form of Contract for Goods and Services reference herein and made a part of this award of contract as well as any non substantive modifications thereto and related constituent documents.

3. The Township Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Qualified Purchasing Agent, Chief Financial Officer, Township Engineer, Keller & Kirkpatrick, Consulting Engineer, Township Attorney and Top Line Construction Corp.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

AWARD OF CONTRACT TO TOP LINE CONSTRUCTION CORP., 22 FIFTH STREET SOMERVILLE, NJ 08876, FOR THE MORGAN LANE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, IN THE SUM OF \$348,920.51, FUNDED THROUGH THE 2018 CAPITAL FUND

WHEREAS, the Township Administrator and Township Engineer have determined that there is a need for the acquisition of the following goods and services: Morgan Lane Improvement Project;

WHEREAS, the project will consist of improvements to Morgan Lane, including but not limited to milling and overlay of the pavement with full-depth reconstruction in certain areas, minor storm sewer and drainage upgrades, and the upgrade of handicap ramps for A.D.A compliance. An option to also mill and pave Kelly Court for approximately 560 L.F. from the intersection with Morgan Lane was also provided in the bid but not acted upon. All disturbed areas will be restored to their original condition;

WHEREAS, Due to the additional cost of Kelly Court, only Morgan Lane is recommended; and

WHEREAS, a notice of advertisement for bids and an Invitation to Bid were prepared and advertised in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were opened and read on Thursday, September 6, 2018, at 11:30 AM, in accordance with the requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, five (5) bids were received as follows:

		With Kelly Court
Top Line Construction Corp.	\$348,920.51	\$396,172.75
DeSantis Construction	\$357,350.44	\$396,448.44
JTG Construction	\$405,496.40	\$453,796.40
Black Rock Enterprises, LLC	\$497,539.90	\$538,823.30
Reivax Contracting	\$617,394.40	\$666,850.40

WHEREAS, David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, and Rose Witt, Qualified Purchasing Agent have reviewed the bids and recommend that the award of contract be made to Top Line Construction Corp., in the amount of \$348,920.51 as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Corsini, Deputy Township Attorney has reviewed the bid proposal package of the two lowest bidders, declares them to be in conformance with the Township Instructions to Bidders and the Local Public Contracts Law and recommends an award of contract to Top Line Construction Corp. as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, funds are available to make such purchase or acquisition and have been certified as such by the local finance officer, said certification being attached to the resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. An award of contract for the Morgan Lane Improvement Project, as outlined hereinabove, is hereby made to Top Line Construction Corp. as the lowest responsible bidder in the amount of \$348,920.51.

2. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Township standard form of Contract for Goods and Services reference herein and made a part of this award of contract as well as any non substantive modifications thereto and related constituent documents.

3. The Township Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Qualified Purchasing Agent, Chief Financial Officer, Township Engineer, Van Cleef Engineering Associates, Consulting Engineer, Township Attorney and Top Line Construction Corp.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

AWARD OF CONTRACT TO YOUR WAY CONSTRUCTION, INC., 404 COLT STREET IRVINGTON, NJ 07111, FOR THE MOUNTAINSIDE LANE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, IN THE SUM OF \$290,781.21, FUNDED THROUGH THE 2018 CAPITAL FUND

WHEREAS, James T. Naples, Township Administrator and David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, have determined that there is a need for the acquisition of the following goods and services: **Mountainside Lane Improvement Project**;

WHEREAS, the project will consist of improvements to Mountainside Lane including but not limited to milling and overlay of the pavement with full-depth reconstruction in certain areas, storm sewer and asphalt swale upgrades, underdrains, and areas of driveway pipe and entrance repair. As an Alternate bid, drain pipe improvements were requested for the length of the roadway which would eliminate the need for asphalt swales. All disturbed areas will be restored to their original condition;

WHEREAS, Due to the significant additional cost of the Alternate bid, the Base Bid scope is recommended; and

WHEREAS, a notice of advertisement for bids and an Invitation to Bid were prepared and advertised in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were opened and read on Thursday, September 6, 2018, at 12:00 P.M., in accordance with the requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

WHEREAS, three (3) bids were received as follows:

	Total	Alternate
Your Way Construction, Inc.	\$290,781.21	\$377,521.88
JTG Construction	\$337,203.32	\$387,258.32
Black Rock Enterprises, LLC	\$359,785.07	\$421,640.08

WHEREAS, David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, and Rose Witt, Qualified Purchasing Agent have reviewed the bids and recommend that the award of contract be made to Your Way Construction, Inc., in the amount of \$290,781.21 as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Corsini, Deputy Township Attorney has reviewed the bid proposal package of the two lowest bidders, declares them to be in conformance with the Township Instructions to Bidders and the Local Public Contracts Law and recommends an award of contract to Your Way Construction, Inc. as the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, funds are available to make such purchase or acquisition and have been certified as such by the local finance officer, said certification being attached to the resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. An award of contract for the Mountainside Lane Improvement Project, as outlined hereinabove, is hereby made to Your Way Construction, Inc. as the lowest responsible bidder in the amount of \$290,781.21.

2. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Township standard form of Contract for Goods and Services reference herein and made a part of this award of contract as well as any non substantive modifications thereto and related constituent documents.

3. The Township Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Qualified Purchasing Agent, Chief Financial Officer, Township Engineer, Van Cleef Engineering, Consulting Engineer, Township Attorney and Your Way Construction, Inc.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

APPROVAL TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION AND EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION UNDER THEIR 2018 "IT PAYS TO PLUG-IN" PROGRAM FOR THE PURCHASE/INSTALLATION OF TWO (2) DUAL PORT ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$12,000

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection is offering funding under their "It Pays to Plug-In" program for the installation of public electric vehicle charging stations; and

WHEREAS, this program is designed to promote electric vehicle use by increasing access to public electric vehicle charging stations; and

WHEREAS, Bridgewater Township would like to further its progress in sustainability efforts by installing electric vehicle charging to support electric vehicle use and encourage electric vehicle tourism while helping to reduce greenhouse gas emissions; and

WHEREAS, Bridgewater Township desires to further the public interest by obtaining a grant from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection "It Pays to Plug-In" program as a prerequisite of the Sustainable Jersey Energy Initiatives Grant Application sponsored by the Gardinier Environmental Fund for the installation of two (2) dual port electric vehicle charging stations at the Municipal Complex; and

WHEREAS, Kristen Schiro, Director of Human Services and Jodi Schneider, Grants Manager, have recommended that the Township of Bridgewater submit an *It Pays to Plug-In* grant application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Mobile Sources for electric vehicle charging stations; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bridgewater Township Council hereby approves the submission of a grant application and acceptance of a grant agreement for the above stated project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor, Daniel J. Hayes, Jr., and Chief Financial Officer, Natasha Turchan, are hereby authorized to sign the grant agreement on behalf of Bridgewater Township and that their signatures constitute acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement and approval of the execution of the grant agreement.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
✓		Norgalis	✓			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	✓			
		Rose				\checkmark

APPROVAL TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION AND EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE SUSTAINABLE JERSEY GRANTS PROGRAM FOR ENERGY INITIATIVES FUNDED BY THE GARDINIER ENVIRONMENTAL FUND FOR THE PURCHASE/INSTALLATION OF TWO (2) DUAL PORT ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$10,000

WHEREAS, the Sustainable Jersey Grants Program for Energy Initiatives sponsored by the Gardinier Environmental Fund is offering grant funding for energy projects focused on energy conservation, efficiency and renewable energy; and

WHEREAS, this program promotes alternate fuel vehicle policies, programs and infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, Bridgewater Township would like to make progress toward a sustainable future by increasing access to public electric vehicle charging stations to improve air quality by reducing greenhouse gas emissions, supporting electric vehicle use and encouraging electric vehicle tourism; and

WHEREAS, Bridgewater Township desires to further the public interest by obtaining a grant from the Sustainable Jersey Energy Initiatives Grant sponsored by the Gardinier Environmental Fund for the installation of two (2) dual port electric vehicle charging stations at the Municipal Complex; and

WHEREAS, the electric vehicle charging spaces will be signed and marked as to its intended use; and

WHEREAS, Kristen Schiro, Director of Human Services and Jodi Schneider, Grants Manager, have recommended that the Township of Bridgewater submit an application to the Sustainable Jersey Grants Program for Energy Initiatives sponsored by the Gardinier Environmental Fund for electric vehicle charging stations; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bridgewater Township Council hereby approves the submission of a grant application and acceptance of a grant agreement for the above stated project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor, Daniel J. Hayes, Jr., and Chief Financial Officer, Natasha Turchan, are hereby authorized to sign the grant agreement on behalf of Bridgewater Township and that their signatures constitute acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement and approval of the execution of the grant agreement.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	✓			
		Rose				\checkmark

APPROVAL TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION AND EXECUTE A GRANT CONTRACT WITH THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION UNDER THEIR 2019 MUNICIPAL AID PROGRAM FOR THE GARRETSON ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT (FROM BRIDGEWATER-RARITAN HIGH SCHOOL WESTERN BOUNDARY TO DOWNEY ROAD) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$402,000

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJ DOT) provides grants to municipalities under the Municipal Aid Program for road improvement projects; and

WHEREAS, Bridgewater Township desires to further the public interest by obtaining a grant from the Municipal Aid Program for the project known as the Garretson Road Improvement Project, which includes that length of Garretson Road from the Bridgewater-Raritan High School 4,200 feet east to the Route 202/206 Access Road known as Downey Rd; and

WHEREAS, David Battaglia, Township Engineer, has recommended that this application be submitted to the Municipal Aid Program for said project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bridgewater Township Council hereby approves the grant application for the above stated project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to submit the electronic grant application identified as MA-2019-Garrestson Rd-BRHS to 202/206 Access-00135 to the NJDOT on behalf of Bridgewater Township.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to sign the grant agreement on behalf of Bridgewater Township and that their signatures constitute acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement and approval of the execution of the grant agreement.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

APPROVAL TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION AND EXECUTE A GRANT CONTRACT WITH THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION UNDER THEIR 2019 MUNICIPAL AID PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTRY CLUB ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT – SECTION X IN THE AMOUNT OF \$598,681

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJ DOT) provides grants to municipalities under the Municipal Aid Program for road improvement projects; and

WHEREAS, Bridgewater Township desires to further the public interest by obtaining a grant from the Municipal Aid Program for the project known as Country Club Road Improvement Project – Section X, which includes that length of Country Club Road from Roosevelt Street 4,000 feet north to the township boundary; and

WHEREAS, David Battaglia, Township Engineer, has recommended that this application be submitted to the Municipal Aid Program for said project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Bridgewater Township Council hereby approves the grant application for the above stated project.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to submit the electronic grant application identified as MA-2019-Country Club Road-Section X-00138 to the NJ DOT on behalf of Bridgewater Township.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to sign the grant agreement on behalf of Bridgewater Township and that their signatures constitute acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement and approval of the execution of the grant agreement.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

AUTHORIZING CHANGE OF SCOPE TO THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT INCREASING THE AMENDED CONTRACT PRICE BY THE SUM OF \$3,920.00 FOR ADDITIONAL ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION OBSERVATION SERVICES FOR THE COLONIAL WAY ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT WITH KELLER & KIRKPATRICK, INC. FROM THE AMENDED CONTRACT PRICE OF \$47,540.00 TO \$51,460.00 FUNDED THROUGH THE 2016 CAPITAL FUND

WHEREAS, the Township of Bridgewater and Keller & Kirkpatrick, Inc. entered into a Professional Services Contract for Preparation of separate Construction Plans and Specifications for the Drainage Improvements to the Colonial Way Road Improvement Project; and

WHEREAS, David C. Battaglia, the Director of Municipal Services/Township Engineer recommends that Change of Scope No. 2 be processed at this time for additional engineering and construction observation services; and

WHEREAS, based on the recommendations of David C. Battaglia, the Director of Municipal Services/Township Engineer, Change of Scope No. 2 increases the amended contract price in the amount of \$3,920.00; and

WHEREAS, the following is a summary of the Contract Price and Change(s) of Scope:

Original Contract Amount	\$41,700.00
Previously Approved Change of Scope No. 1 Amount	\$ 5,840.00
Change of Scope No. 2 Amount	\$ 3,920.00
New Contract Amount	\$51,460.00

WHEREAS, this is an amendment to a Professional Services Contract and the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5 et seq.) requires that the resolution authorizing the award of contracts for "Professional Services" without competitive bids and the contract itself must be available for public inspection; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid modification necessitates a change order to reflect the actual contract amount, which change order is permissible under the Local Public Contracts Law and the Local Government Services regulations with respect to the same; and

WHEREAS, David C. Battaglia, the Director of Municipal Services/Township Engineer submitted Change of Scope No. 2; and

WHEREAS, Natasha Turchan, the Township Chief Financial Officer Certified the Availability of Funds for the increase and Change of Scope No. 2.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater, in the County of Somerset and State of New Jersey as follows:

- 1. It authorizes and accepts Change of Scope No. 2 to the Professional Services Contract with Keller & Kirkpatrick, Inc. for additional engineering and construction observation services to the Colonial Way Road Improvement Project to increase the contract price in the amount of \$3,920.00, so that the contract price after Change of Scope No. 2 is \$51,460.00.
- 2. It authorizes the increase in the amount of \$3,920.00 to Keller & Kirkpatrick, Inc. and authorizes the appropriate municipal officials to increase the sum of \$3,920.00 when the appropriate Request for Payment is submitted and approved by the Township Engineer.
- 3. This Amendment to the contract is awarded without competitive bidding in accordance with the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5 et seq.) because a material portion of the services to be rendered or performed by persons authorized by law to practice a recognized profession.
- 4. It hereby directs the Township Clerk to transmit certified copies of this resolution to the Township Purchasing Department, Finance Department, Township Engineer, and Keller & Kirkpatrick, Inc.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	✓			
\checkmark		Norgalis	✓			
		Pedroso	✓			
		Moench	✓			
		Rose				\checkmark

AUTHORIZING CHANGE ORDER NO.2/FINAL CHANGE ORDER INCREASING THE AMENDED CONTRACT PRICE FROM \$493,329.40 TO \$512,166.40 AN INCREASE OF 3.82% OR \$18,837.00, AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF THE PROJECT, RELEASE OF THE PERFORMANCE BOND, ACCEPTANCE OF THE MAINTENANCE BOND, AND FINAL PAYMENT TO REIVAX CONTRACTING CORP., FOR THE COLONIAL WAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, FUNDED THROUGH THE 2017 CAPITAL FUND

WHEREAS, the Township of Bridgewater and Reivax Contracting Corp. entered into a contract for professional services related to the road repaving and incidental improvements for the Improvements to Colonial Way; and

WHEREAS, there was a Change Order No. 1 approved by Council on March 19, 2018, increasing the contract price from \$452,859.40 to \$493,329.40 which was a 8.94% increase in the amount of \$40,470.00; and

WHEREAS, there is Change Order No. 2 increasing the contract price from the approved \$493,329.40 to \$512,166.40, an increase of \$18,837.00 to the contract amount based on an adjustment of estimated quantities to match as-built quantities including additional storm trenches and associated piping and curbing required to address field observed storm runoff issues not identified during the design phase of this project; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid modification necessitates a change order to reflect the actual contract amount, which change order is permissible under the Local Public Contracts Law and the Local Government Services regulations with respect to the same; and

WHEREAS, David C. Battaglia, Township Engineer, recommends authorizing Change Order #2, Accepting the Project, Releasing the Performance Guarantee and accepting the Maintenance Bond; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Corsini, Deputy Township Attorney, has reviewed the Township Engineer's memo of completion, Executive Summary, Maintenance Bond, Change Order #2, and Affidavit of No Liens, and has found all of same to be satisfactory; and

WHEREAS, the contractor has submitted to the Township an "Affidavit of No Liens" confirming that all indebtedness associated with this project has been satisfied; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater, in the County of Somerset and State of New Jersey as follows:

- 1. It hereby acknowledges that this project has been satisfactorily completed, accepts same and, accordingly, releases Performance and Payment Bond No. (2255472) in the amount of \$452,859.40 from North American Specialty Insurance Company.
- 2. It authorizes the appropriate municipal officials to pay the balance due on the final contract which is hereby accepts, and which has resulted in an adjusted contract amount of \$512,166.40.

- 3. It hereby accepts Maintenance Bond (2255472M), in the sum of \$77,667.56 issued by North American Specialty Insurance Company.
- 4. It hereby directs the Township Clerk to transmit certified copies of this resolution to the Township Purchasing Department, Finance Department, Township Engineer, Keller & Kirkpatrick, and Reivax Contracting Corp.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	\checkmark	Kurdyla	\checkmark			
\checkmark		Norgalis	\checkmark			
		Pedroso	\checkmark			
		Moench	\checkmark			
		Rose				\checkmark

REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF FIRE PERMIT FEE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$60 FOR THE BRIDGEWATER SENIORS COUNCIL AT 9 KISER LANE IN BRIDGEWATER, NJ 08807, IN CONNECTION WITH A HINDU NEW YEAR EVENT HELD AT THE BRIDGEWATER-RARITAN MIDDLE SCHOOL ON OCTOBER 27, 2018 FROM 3 P.M. TO 11 P.M.

WHEREAS, the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater, pursuant to Chapter 94, Section 94-3 of the Code of the Township of Bridgewater may waive fees in the case of non-profit, charitable or religious organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Bridgewater Seniors Council has requested a waiver of fire permit fees in connection with its Hindu New Year event held at the Bridgewater-Raritan Middle School on October 27, 2018 from 3 p.m. to 11 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, Karl McAleer, Fire Official has advised that the Fire Prevention Permit fee \$50 and the proper application has been filed; and

WHEREAS, the fire prevention fee is a Township fee and may be waived.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Bridgewater that the fire prevention fee in the total amount of \$50 is hereby waived for the Bridgewater Seniors Council.

Introduced	Seconded	Council	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
	~	Kurdyla	✓			
\checkmark		Norgalis	✓			
		Pedroso	✓			
		Moench	✓			
		Rose				\checkmark