

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange proposes the Improvement of Dogwood Drive and Dogwood Road with a \$620,000.00 Transportation Trust Fund Grant and funds from the 2018 Capital Budget; and

WHEREAS, to design and specify these improvements the Township requires the services of a professional engineering firm and land surveying firm; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer prepared a Request for Proposal dated March 26, 2019 for these professional design services; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer solicited proposals from five professional engineering and land surveying firms: Keller and Kirkpatrick, Inc., of Morris Plains, N.J.; Suburban Consulting Engineers, Inc. of Mt. Arlington, N.J.; Crew Engineers, of Butler, New Jersey, Bowman Consulting of Cedar Knolls, New Jersey and the CME Associates of Barnegat Twp., New Jersey, all of whom responded to the Township's Request for Qualifications; and

WHEREAS, all firms except Crew Engineers and CME Associates responded to the Request for Proposals; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer upon review of the proposals determined Keller and Kirkpatrick was the most responsive firm for the least cost; and

WHEREAS, Keller and Kirkpatrick previously provided professional engineering services to the Township and their work quality was very good; and

WHEREAS, by letter dated April 23, 2019 the Township Engineer recommended a professional services contract be awarded to Keller & Kirkpatrick, 301 Gibraltar Drive, Suite 2A, Morris Plains, N.J. 07950 for the design, specifications and bid documents for the Improvement of Dogwood Drive and Dogwood Road in accordance with their proposal dated April 22, 2019 in an amount not to exceed \$28,300.00.

WHEREAS, sufficient funds exist for the services outlined in the proposal of Keller and Kirkpatrick, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council concurs in the foregoing.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, New Jersey that a professional services contract be awarded to Keller & Kirkpatrick, 301 Gibraltar Drive, Suite 2A, Morris Plains, N.J. 07950 to provide professional engineering services for the Improvement of Dogwood Drive and Dogwood Road in accordance with their proposal dated April 22, 2019 for a fee not to exceed \$28,300.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be published in the West Orange Chronicle within ten (10) days of its approval as required by State Statute.

KAREN J. CARNEVALE, R.M.C.
MUNICIPAL CLERK

JERRY GUARINO, COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Adopted: April 30, 2019

I hereby certify funds are available from: Account No. 03-2544-18-0500-010

JOHN GROSS, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER