

**TOWNSHIP OF HOPEWELL
MERCER COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

RESOLUTION #23-29

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HOPEWELL, COUNTY OF MERCER,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY, GRANTING AUTHORITY FOR APPROVAL OF
CERTAIN PURCHASES IN EXCESS OF THE BID THRESHOLD THROUGH NEW
JERSEY STATE CONTRACTS AND/OR PURCHASING COOPERATIVES FOR 2023**

WHEREAS, a need exists for the acquisition of various goods and services contained within cooperative contracts and over the bid threshold as aggregation of commodities, for the daily operations of the Township of Hopewell; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Hopewell may, without advertising for bids, purchase such materials through the New Jersey State Purchase and Property State Contracts and other approved Regional Cooperative Purchasing Systems of which the Township of Hopewell is a member, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12, and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29 et. Seq., and

WHEREAS, under the state cooperative contract, or designated regional cooperative contract award, the following vendors hold valid cooperative contracts in accord with the New Jersey Local Publics Contract Law.

Vendor	Contract #	T-Number	Title	Term Expiration
Majestic Oil	19-FLEET-00972	T0083	Unleaded Automotive Gasoline	10/31/2024
Morton Salt	CK09MERCER2021-19		Road Salt	1/23/2024

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

1. The Qualified Purchasing Agent (QPA) upon receipt of an identified need and direction from the Township is hereby authorized to approve purchases in the aggregate over the bid threshold from the list of approved cooperative contract, through New Jersey State Contracts and/or Purchasing Cooperatives to which the Township of Hopewell is a member without further action from Council, provided that funds are available to cover the expenditure.
2. Purchase approvals made by the Qualified Purchasing Agent (QPA) by virtue of the adoption of this Resolution shall be subject to the provisions and requirements of the

Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. and that no amount of any contract shall be in excess of the bid threshold in a single purchase or the aggregate without express individual resolutions authorizing such cooperative purchases by contract number.

Date Adopted: January 9, 2023

CERTIFICATION

I, Katherine Fenton-Newman, Deputy Municipal Clerk, of the Township of Hopewell, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Township Committee at the regular meeting held on the 9th day of January, 2023 in the Municipal Building Auditorium, Hopewell Township, New Jersey and via Zoom Video Communications.



Katherine Fenton-Newman, RMC, CMR
Deputy Municipal Clerk