

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

RESOLUTION #25-207

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENTS**

WHEREAS, there exists a need for professional services agreements with the firm noted below; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.) requires that a 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 Chief Financial Officer has certified that the funds are available.

FIRM/PURPOSE	AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED	TERM EXPIRES
Gebhardt & Kiefer Conflict Legal Services related to the Zoning Board of Adjustment 5-01-21-190-028	15,000.00	12/31/2026


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, on this 19th day of May, 2025 by the Township Committee of the Township of Hopewell, County of Mercer, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute the above agreements.
2. The contracts are awarded without competitive bidding as a "Professional Service" under the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5 (1)(a) as a contract for services to be performed by persons authorized by law to practice recognized professions that are regulated by law and it is not possible to obtain competitive bids.
3. A notice of this action shall be published once in the official newspaper as required by law.

Date Adopted: May 19, 2025

CERTIFICATION

I, Katherine Fenton-Newman, 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 19th day of May 2025, in the Municipal Building Auditorium, Hopewell Township, New Jersey and via Zoom Video Communications.


Katherine Fenton-Newman, RMC
Municipal Clerk