## **RESOLUTION NO. 24-**

## TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLETOWN COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

## RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT FOR DELTA DENTAL ADMINISTRATIVE AND NETWORK SERVICES

**WHEREAS,** the Township of Middletown for the past several years has engaged the services of Delta Dental Plan of NJ, Inc. for providing dental claims administrative and dental network services as part of the health benefits for Township employees; and

**WHEREAS,** it is necessary to ratify and approve the continuation of that Contract for dental claims administrative and network services for the year 2024 with the administrative services and costs for an estimated cost not to exceed \$30,000; and

WHEREAS, authorization for the award of this contract as an extraordinary unspecifiable service does not require public bidding pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(m) as an insurance-related contract subject only to certification of availability of funds by the Chief Financial Officer.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Township Committee of the Township of Middletown that the Mayor and Township Clerk are authorized to execute the agreement with Delta Dental Plan of NJ, Inc. for the provision of dental claims administrative and network services for the year 2024 for the Township health benefit program for employees at the administrative fees as set forth in the attached contract made part hereof for an estimated contract amount not to exceed \$30,000.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that notice of this contract award shall be published by the Township Clerk in the Township's official newspaper and a complete copy of the contract be maintained by the Clerk.