## **RESOLUTION 23-XXX**

## RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR EAST ROAD ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS – PHASE 1

WHEREAS, the Township advertised for and received bids for the East Road Roadway Improvements – Phase 1 in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, seven bids were received and publicly opened on October 3, 2023, at 10:00 a.m.; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer has recommended that the award of the contract for East Road Roadway Improvements Phase 1 be awarded to Lucas Brothers Inc., 80 Amboy Road, Morganville NJ 07751 the lowest bidder with a total price for the bid of \$333,333.00; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer for the Township of Middletown has certified that free and unencumbered funds in the amount of \$333,333.00 are available for this purpose in account/line-item number C-04-55-923-383-001. A copy of the said certification is attached hereto and made part hereof.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Township Committee of the Township of Middletown that the award for East Road Roadway Improvements – Phase 1 be awarded to Lucas Brothers Inc., pursuant to the terms of their bid at the above prices, and that the appropriate officials be and are hereby authorized to execute the contract with the contractor.