A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES SET-ASIDE PROGRAM 2023

WHEREAS, the Township of Middletown, State of New Jersey desires to apply to the New Jersey Department of Transportation for funding under the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program; and,

WHEREAS, the Township of Middletown has designed the Campbell's Junction Improvements Project to meet all criteria necessary to receive funding under Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program, and to maximize accessibility of multiple modes of surface transportation within Campbell's Junction (to be known as Project Area); and,

WHEREAS, the primary activity within this Project Area will be to improve the overall safety and usability of the Project Area by completing activities that include, but are not limited to accessibility improvements to the Project Area's bus stop, construction of new sidewalks, reconstruction of damaged sidewalks, and the installation of new street-lighting; and,

WHEREAS, if awarded, the County of Monmouth would maintain the right-of-way for these roads (curb-to-curb) in our jurisdiction, and the Township will be responsible for maintaining all other improvements in the Township's right-of-way (sidewalks, landscaping, infrastructure etc.); and,

WHEREAS, responsibilities for administering the proposed project in accord with federal and state guidelines (to be known as the Responsible Charge) will be Ted Maloney, full-time Department of Public Works Director and Township Engineer and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Committee of the Township of Middletown, State of New Jersey formally authorize submission of the electronic grant application identified as **TA-2023-Campbell's Junction Improvements Pro-00042** to the New Jersey Department of Transportation for funding under the Transportation Alternatives Set-Aside Program on behalf of the Township of Middletown.