

RESOLUTION 24-xxx

**Resolution Authorizing the Purchase of Four (4) 2024 Ford Escape (U9G) AWD Vehicles
Through the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey**

WHEREAS, the Township may without advertising for bids, purchase any materials, supplies or equipment entered into on behalf of the Educational Services Commission of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing System (Co-Op #65MCESCCPS) pursuant to the provision of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11: and

WHEREAS, **Nielsen Ford, 170 Ridgedale Ave, Morristown NJ 07960** has been awarded the ESCNJ Contract 23/24-11 for electric truck chassis class 5-8 and

WHEREAS, under Contract 23/24-11, **Neilsen Ford**, can provide (4) Four 2024 Ford Escape (U9G) vehicles as noted in their quote dated 5/21/24; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer for the Township of Middletown has certified that free and unencumbered funds in the amount of **\$120,083.29** are available for this purpose in account/line-item number(s) 4-01-26-315-100-205. 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, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey that the Township of Middletown enter into an agreement with **Neilsen Ford** for the delivery of **(4) four 2024 Ford Escape (U9G) AWD Vehicles** in the amount of **\$120,083.29**.