## **RESOLUTION 23-xxx**

## RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT TO VENDOR WITH A STATE CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF DECORATIVE GARBAGE/RECYCLING STATIONS FOR TOWNSHIP PARKS

**WHEREAS,** The Township of Middletown, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12a and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29(c), may by resolution and without advertising for bids, purchase any goods or services under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program for any State contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property in the Department of the Treasury; and

**WHEREAS,** Ben Shaffer Recreation, PO Box 844, Lake Hopatcong, NJ 07849 has been awarded New Jersey State Contract No. 16-FLEET-00135; and

**WHEREAS,** under Contract 16-FLEET-00135, Ben Shaffer Recreation, can provide 88 decorative garbage/recycling stations for the Department of Public Works; and

**WHEREAS,** the Chief Financial Officer for the Township of Middletown has certified that free and unencumbered funds in the amount of \$117,648.40 is available for this purpose in account/line-item number 3-01-26-305-100-213. 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 Ben Shaffer Recreation for the delivery of 88 decorative garbage/recycling stations in the amount of \$117,648.40.