

RESOLUTION 24-xxx

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR THE PARTIAL EXTERIOR RESTORATION OF THE MURRAY FARMHOUSE AT PORICY PARK

WHEREAS, the Township advertised for and received bids for the partial exterior restoration of the Murray Farmhouse at Poricy Park in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, four bids were received and publicly opened on April 26, 2024, at 10:00 a.m.; and

WHEREAS, the lowest bidder, Hawley Brothers, Inc., was disqualified per N.J.S.A. 40A:11-23.2(c)(d)(e); and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer has recommended that the award of the contract for the partial exterior restoration of the Murray Farmhouse at Poricy Park be awarded to Dell Tech Inc., 930 New York Ave., Trenton, NJ 08638 the second lowest bidder with a total price as follows:

- Base Bid - \$340,400.00
- Alternate A – \$40,500.00
- Alternate B – \$12,600.00
- Total Bid Price – \$393,500.00

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer for the Township of Middletown has certified that free and unencumbered funds in the amount of \$393,500.00 are available for this purpose in account/line-item number(s) C-04-55-919-265-001 and C-04-55-923-382-001. 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 the partial exterior restoration of the Murray Farmhouse at Poricy Park be awarded to Dell Tech 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.