

**RESOLUTION 23-xxx**

**Resolution Authorizing the Purchase of Playground Equipment 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**, Marturano Recreation, Inc., PO Box 106, Spring Lake, NJ 07762, has been awarded the ESCNJ Contract No. 20/21-06 (expiration 6/30/24) for Playground Equipment, Site Furnishings, Outdoor Circuit Training Equipment & Related Products; and

**WHEREAS**, under Contract 20/21-06, Marturano Recreation, Inc., can provide various pieces of playground equipment as noted in quote #106756-01-08 for McMahon Park; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer for the Township of Middletown has certified that free and unencumbered funds in the amount of \$338,950.24 are available for this purpose in account/line-item number(s) C-04-55-921-321-001 & T-03-56-802-120-004. 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 Marturano Recreation, Inc. for the delivery of playground equipment in the amount of \$338,950.24.