

RESOLUTION 23-xxx

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT
TO VENDOR WITH A STATE CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE (1) 2023
FORD F-450 TRUCK WITH RACK BODY AND LIFTGATE**

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, Nielsen Ford, 170 Ridgedale Ave, Morristown, NJ 07960 has been awarded New Jersey State Contract No. 23-FLEET-34923; and

WHEREAS, under Contract 23-FLEET-34923, Nielsen Ford, can provide one (1) Ford F-450 truck with a rack body and liftgate 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 \$73,871.00 are available for this purpose in account/line-item number(s) C-04-55-922-355-003 and T-03-56-802-330-000. 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 Nielsen Ford for the delivery of one (1) Ford F-450 truck with rack body and liftgate in the amount of \$73,871.00.