

TOWNSHIP OF MONTCLAIR**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF TWO (2) NEW 2019 FORD ESCAPE 4x4 UTILITY VEHICLES THROUGH THE MORRIS COUNTY COOPERATIVE PRICING PROGRAM CONTRACT # 15-C**

June 25, 2019

WHEREAS, the Township of Montclair is a party to a cooperative purchasing agreement with the Morris County Cooperative Pricing Program, a purchasing program pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-10; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law authorizes a municipality to acquire goods and services through a duly formed purchasing system without advertising for bids; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Montclair is in need of acquiring two (2) new 2019 Ford Escape 4x4 Utility vehicles for use by the Department of Community Services - Building Department; and

WHEREAS, the Morris County Cooperative Pricing Council has awarded a contract (Contract 15-C) to Route 23 Automall, LLC, 1301 Route 23, Butler, New Jersey 07405; and

WHEREAS, the procurement of goods and services through a cooperative purchasing program is an “open and fair” process under the New Jersey Pay-to-Play law, N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5 et seq.; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that the funds for this purchase have been appropriated in the 2018 Capital Budget, account number C-04-18-019-000-001; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Council of the Township of Montclair, in the County of Essex, that the Township of Montclair enter into an agreement with Route 23 Automall, LLC, 1301 Route 23, Butler, New Jersey 07405 for two (2) new 2019 Ford Escape 4x4 Utility vehicles in the amount of \$44,964.00 to be charged to the accounts above or as otherwise determined to be correct by the Chief Financial Officer’s pending certification of funds.