

**TOWNSHIP OF NORTH BRUNSWICK
RESOLUTION**

**AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF GOODS AND SERVICES FROM VENDORS
APPROVED UNDER COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENTS**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-11(5) authorizes contracting units to establish a Cooperative Pricing System and to enter into Cooperative Pricing Agreements with other contracting units as defined under N.J.S.A. 40A:11-2(1) for its procurement of goods and services; and

WHEREAS, the Township of North Brunswick, as a local government contracting unit, has previously entered into Cooperative Pricing Agreements with the following contracting units:

- Bergen County
- Cranford Township
- City of New Brunswick
- East Brunswick
- Educational Services Commission of New Jersey
- Hunterdon County
- North Brunswick Board of Education
- North Brunswick Library
- North Jersey Wastewater Cooperative Pricing System
- Piscataway Township
- Somerset County
- South Brunswick Township
- Woodbridge Township
- Union County

WHEREAS, the Township may without advertising for bids, purchase any materials, supplies, services or equipment under an approved cooperative contract, for the purchase of such items, whereby the contracting unit serving as the lead agent has complied with the provisions of the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.) and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey; and

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WHEREAS, the Township Council hereby authorizes an open-ended agreement with the attached list (Schedule A) of vendors approved under Cooperative Pricing Agreements through this resolution, and properly executed purchase orders, which agreements shall be subject to all conditions applicable under the Cooperative Pricing Agreement for said goods and services; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council desires to authorize the purchase of certain items from approved Cooperative Pricing Agreement vendors.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick, County of Middlesex, State of New Jersey does hereby authorize of North Brunswick Township, Middlesex County, New Jersey hereby authorize the following:

1. That this Resolution shall constitute an agreement between the Township of North Brunswick and Cooperative Pricing Agreement vendors, as set forth on the attached Schedule A, subject to all terms and conditions applicable to their respective current Cooperative Pricing Agreement.
2. That the Council hereby authorizes the Purchasing Agent to purchase the items set forth on Schedule A from approved Cooperative Pricing Agreement vendors, pursuant to the respective current contracts listed in said schedule.
3. That pursuant to the rules of the Local Finance Board of the State of New Jersey, that no amount of said contracts shall be chargeable or certified until such time as goods are acknowledged with a certified Purchase Order.
4. That this agreement shall expire June 30, 2026 or upon expiration of the respective vendors Contract, whichever occurs earlier.

Justine Progebin, Business Administrator

Township Attorney
Approved as to legal form