

TOWNSHIP OF CHESTERFIELD, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-8-8

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHESTERFIELD, COUNTY OF BURLINGTON, NEW JERSEY CREATING AN EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$300,000 PURSUANT TO AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH N.J.S.A. 40A:4-48 AND AUTHORIZING AN EMERGENCY PURCHASE PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6

BACKGROUND

WHEREAS, an emergent need has arisen to make necessary repairs to Pump Station #1 on Recklesstown Way in the Township of Chesterfield, County of Burlington, New Jersey (“Township”) and the surrounding area (“Emergency Purpose”); and

WHEREAS, the Township's Department of Public Works Foreman has inspected the site and determined that Pump Station #1 had a series of catastrophic failures and recommends entering into a contract with O&M Solutions, LLC and Don E Miller Septic Service, Inc in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$300,000.00, to complete the Emergency Purpose; and

WHEREAS, said Emergency Purpose was not foreseen at the time of preparation and adoption of the 2021 Budget; and

WHEREAS, Section 46 of the Local Budget Law, *N.J.S.A. 40A:4-46*, provides for the creation of an emergency appropriation for the various purposes including the Emergency Purpose; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of emergency appropriations created in 2021, including the appropriations to be created by this Resolution, is \$300,000, which is less than three percent (3%) of the total operating appropriations in the 2021 Budget; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to *N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6*, an emergent contract may be awarded without advertisement for bids or bidding to resolve an emergency issue affecting the public health, safety and welfare which requires immediate performance of the service, including the Emergency Purpose; and

