Township Council
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Bloomfield, NJ 07003

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Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 02/27/23 07:00 PM

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2023 RESOLUTION CHANGE ORDERS

2023 RESOLUTION - PURCHASE & INSTALLATION OF CUSTOMER WATER METERS - CHANGE ORDER NO. 2

WHEREAS, the Township of Bloomfield entered into a contract for the Purchase & Installation of Customer Water Meters with Core & Main, LP, 61 Gross Avenue, Edison, NJ 08837 (hereinafter "the Contractor") for a total contract amount $4,459,226.50; and

WHEREAS, during the course of the work, a number of unforeseen conditions occurred requiring changes to the contract amount. These changes included the purchase of additional meters of varying sizes; appurtenant plumbing accessories; modifications to the piping to accommodate certain meters and the need for confined space measures for those meters that could only be placed in meter pits; and

WHEREAS, Change Order No. 2 represents an increase in the contract amount of $212,088.00. Factoring in previous Change Order No. 1, the total increase to the original contract price of $4,459,226.50 is 8 percent; and

WHEREAS, the Change Order request was reviewed by the project consultant and determined to be necessary; and

WHEREAS, this Change Order was found to be beneficial and necessary; and

WHEREAS, funding is available within the Capital Bond Ordinance W-06-55-593-001, which is reimbursable through the NJ Infrastructure Bank program; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council, based on the recommendation of the Township Engineer is satisfied that the Change Order should be approved.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Township Of Bloomfield, County of Essex, State of New Jersey that Change Order No. 2 is hereby approved and the Financial Officer of the Township of Bloomfield is hereby authorized to adjust payment for this work.
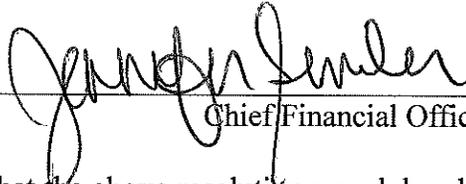
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Approved as to form and procedure on basis of facts set forth.

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Director of Law-Township Attorney

I do hereby certify that the funding will be legally appropriated per the above information for the purpose specified in the attached contract. Furthermore, it has been represented to me that
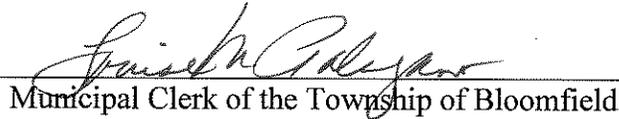
the contracts have been processed in accordance with the applicable provisions of New Jersey Local Public Contract Law and the Code of the Township of Bloomfield.

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Chief Financial Officer

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly adopted by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield at a meeting of said Township Council held on February 27, 2023.

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Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield

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Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

✓ Vote Record – Resolution						
☐ Adopt ☐ Deny			Yes/Aye	No/Nay	Abstain	Absent
☐ Withdrawn	Jenny Mundell		☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Table ☐ Not Discussed	Nicholas Joanow		☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ First Reading	Sarah Cruz		☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Table with no Vote	Wartyna Davis		☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Approve ☐ Veto by Mayor	Ted Gamble		☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Discussion	Richard Rockwell		☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Defeated ☐ Discussion No Vote	Michael J. Venezia		☑	☐	☐	☐