



Township Council
1 Municipal Plaza
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Louise M. Palagano
Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 09/29/25 07:00 PM

2025 RESOLUTION AWARD OF CONTRACT

R25374

RESOLUTION - AWARDING A CONTRACT FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING SERVICES TO TAYLOR, WISEMAN & TAYLOR FOR THE MORRIS CANAL GREENWAY AT WRIGHTS FIELD

WHEREAS, the Township wishes to perform improvements to the Morris Canal Greenway at Wrights Field; and

WHEREAS, the Township has been awarded NJDOT Local Aid and Economic Development Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) grant funding in the amount of \$428,000 for this project; and

WHEREAS, the Township requires the services of an Engineering Consultant to oversee the Final Design Phase of this project; and

WHEREAS, one of the unique features of this TAP grant is additional funding will be provided via a Design Assistance Program to cover the consultant's costs if one of the four NJDOT prequalified consultants is selected to oversee this project, so as not to impact the \$428,000 grant total; and

WHEREAS, NJDOT conducted a TA Set-Aside Design Assistance Consultant Selection by evaluating, rating and ranking consultants, and Taylor, Wiseman & Taylor (TWT) was one of the four consultants qualified through this process to perform these services; and

WHEREAS, TWT has submitted a proposal to the Township for completing the Final Design Phase on the above referenced project at a total cost of \$216,170.35; and

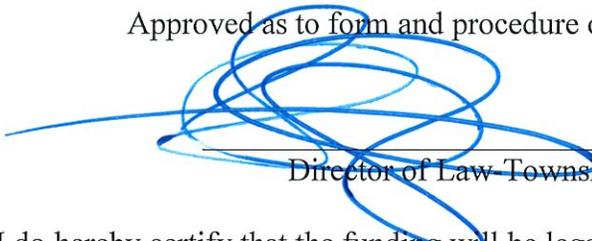
WHEREAS, it is the recommendation of the Director of Bloomfield Parks, Recreation & Cultural Affairs, and the Acting Township Administrator that the work be awarded to Taylor, Wiseman & Taylor; and

WHEREAS, the Acting Director of Finance has indicated that funding is available in Township Account Number G-02-40-214-003

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield, County of Essex, State of New Jersey hereby authorize Taylor, Wiseman & Taylor, 124 Gaither Drive, Suite 150 Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054, to provide the Preliminary Engineering services for the Morris Canal Greenway Phase 3 project at a total cost of \$216,170.35.

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Approved as to form and procedure on basis of facts set forth.



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.

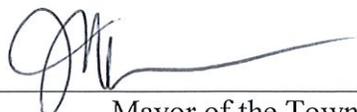


Chief Financial Officer

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 September 29, 2025.



Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield



Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

✓ Vote Record – Resolution						
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