

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-103

RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE DETAILS OF THE SALE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, SERIES 2020, IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$3,885,916 OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LITTLE EGG HARBOR, IN THE COUNTY OF OCEAN, NEW JERSEY, TO THE NEW JERSEY INFRASTRUCTURE BANK PURSUANT TO THE STATE FISCAL YEAR 2020 NEW JERSEY WATER BANK

WHEREAS, the Township of Little Egg Harbor (the "Local Unit"), in the County of Ocean, New Jersey, has determined that there exists a need within the Local Unit to acquire, construct, renovate or install the Project (the "Project") as defined in each of that certain Loan Agreement (the "I-Bank Loan Agreement") to be entered into by and between the Local Unit and the New Jersey Infrastructure Bank (the "I-Bank") and that certain Loan Agreement (the "Fund Loan Agreement", and together with the I-Bank Loan Agreement, the "Loan Agreements") to be entered into by and between the Local Unit and the State of New Jersey, acting by and through the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (the "State"), all pursuant to the State Fiscal Year 2020 New Jersey Water Bank (the "Program");

WHEREAS, the Local Unit has determined to finance the acquisition, construction, renovation or installation of the Project with the proceeds of a loan to be made by each of the I-Bank (the "I-Bank Loan") and the State (the "Fund Loan", and together with the I-Bank Loan, the "Loans") pursuant to the I-Bank Loan Agreement and the Fund Loan Agreement, respectively;

WHEREAS, to evidence the Loans, each of the I-Bank and the State require the Local Unit to authorize, execute, attest and deliver the Local Unit's General Obligation Bonds, Series 2020A, to the I-Bank in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$930,000 (the "I-Bank Loan Bond") and General Obligation Bonds, Series 2020B, to the State in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$2,955,916 (the "Fund Loan Bond", and together with the I-Bank Loan Bond, the "Local Unit Bonds") pursuant to the terms of the Local Bond Law of the State of New Jersey, constituting Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the Revised Statutes of the State of New Jersey (the "Local Bond Law"), other applicable law, the Loan Agreements and the Escrow Agreement dated April 3, 2020 (the "Escrow Agreement") by and among the I-Bank, the State, the Local Unit and the escrow agent named therein;

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:2-27(a) (2) of the Local Bond Law allows for the sale of the I-Bank Loan Bond and the Fund Loan Bond to the I-Bank and the State, respectively, without any public offering, and N.J.S.A. 58:11B-9(a) allows for the sale of the I-Bank Loan Bond to the I-Bank, without any public offering, all under the terms and conditions set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the terms of the Escrow Agreement, the I-Bank has sold its bonds to fund the I-Bank Loan, thereby enabling the Local Unit to confirm the exact aggregate principal amount of and debt service schedule for the Local Unit Bonds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the governing body of the Local Unit as follows:

Section 1. The sale of the I-Bank Loan Bond to the I-Bank and the Fund Loan Bond to the State is hereby confirmed. The I-Bank Loan Bond shall be released from escrow in accordance with the terms of the Escrow Agreement and thereby issued in accordance with the principal loan amount, interest rates and maturity schedule set forth in **Schedule A** attached hereto and made a part hereof. The Fund Loan Bond shall be released from escrow in accordance with the terms of the Escrow Agreement and thereby issued in accordance with the maturity schedule set forth in **Schedule B** attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Section 3. Upon the adoption hereof, the Local Unit Clerk shall forward certified copies of this resolution to Meghan Ann Bennett, Esq., GluckWalrath LLP, bond counsel to the Local Unit, and Richard T. Nolan, Esq., McCarter & English, LLP, bond counsel to the I-Bank.

Recorded Vote

<u>AYE</u>	<u>NAY</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
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CERTIFICATE

I, Diana McCracken, Clerk of the Township of Little Egg Harbor, in the County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and compared copy of an original resolution now on file and of record in my office which was duly adopted at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Little Egg Harbor, on the 30th day of April, 2020.

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY that said Township Committee consists of 5 members and that 4 members thereof were present at said meeting and that 4 members voted affirmatively for the adoption of said resolution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Township this 30th day of April, 2020.


Diana McCracken, Municipal Clerk

(SEAL)