THE COMMISSIONERS OF FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 IN THE TOWNSHIP OF HAZLET, COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

Resolution #2025-011 Increasing Bid Threshold

WHEREAS, the recent changes to the Local Public Contracts Law gave local contracting units the ability to increase their bid threshold up to \$53,000; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A 40A:11-3a, permits an increase in the bid threshold if a Qualified Purchasing Agent is appointed as well as granted the authorization to negotiate and award such contracts below the bid threshold; and

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 5:34-5 et seq. establishes the criteria for qualifying as a Qualified Purchasing Agent; and

WHEREAS, Michelle Barney possess the designation of Qualified Purchasing Agent as issued by the Director of Local Government Services in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:34-5 et seq; and

WHEREAS, the Hazlet Township Board Fire Commissioner, desires to take advantage of the increased bid threshold;

NOW THEREFORE, be it **RESOLVED** by the Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 in the Township of Hazlet, County of Monmouth, hereby increases its bid threshold to \$53,000 and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the governing body hereby appoints Michelle Barney as the Qualified Purchasing Agent to exercise the duties of a qualified purchasing agent pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A;11-20(30), with specific relevance to the authority, responsibility, and accountability of the purchasing activity of the contracting unit, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:34-5.2, a certified copy of this resolution is to be forwarded to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.

Certification

I, <u>Michael Storcks</u> Clerk, of the Commissioners of Fire District No. 1 in the Township of Hazlet, County of Monmouth, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Commissioners at a meeting held on July 9, 2025.

Michael C. Storcks, Commissioner, Clerk

The foregoing resolution was introduced by Commissioner Malloy and it was seconded by Commissioner Schroeck

RECORD OF VOTE

Members	Parleman, L.	Malloy, D	Schroeck, J.C.	Storcks, M	Wood, F
Yes	X	X	Χ.	X	X
No					
Abstain					
Absent					