RESOLUTION NO. 68- 2016

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON APPOINTING CONFLICT MUNICIPAL PUBLIC DEFENDERS

WHEREAS, Michael A. Aimino, Esquire was appointed as the Township's Chief Public Defender via Resolution No. 16-2016; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 2B:24-3 permits a municipality to appoint additional Public Defenders as necessary to administer justice in a timely and effective manner in its Municipal Court; and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for the services of a conflict Public Defender in the Township of Harrison Municipal Court; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5, in effect provides that Contracts for Professional Services and Contracts for Services of an Extraordinary Unspecifiable Nature may be negotiated by the governing body of a municipality without public advertising and bidding, but requires a brief notice of the fact and details of each such contract to be publicly advertised and that the contract and authorizing resolution be filed in the Municipal Clerk's Office.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Committee of the Township of Harrison, State of New Jersey, as follows:

The Township Committee hereby appoints for the year 2016, the following Attorneys At Law as conflict Municipal Public Defenders: Timothy D. Scaffidi, Esquire; Shannon M. Cornelius, Esquire; Rex Roldan, Esquire; John C. Iannelli, Esquire; Jerry M. Lonabaugh, Esquire; and Emily A. McDonough, Esquire to be paid a reasonable value for services rendered.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this contract is awarded without competitive bidding as exceptions in the Local Public Contracts Law, either because said party contracted with is authorized by law to practice a recognized profession in the State of New Jersey or the services to be performed are extraordinary unspecifiable services which cannot be bid competitively because it is impossible to prepare specifications for same in accordance with the above mentioned statutes. The contract is being awarded pursuant to a fair and open process.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of said notice as required by N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5 shall be published in the Borough's official newspaper within ten (10) days after passage of this Resolution.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Harrison, County of Gloucester, State of New Jersey held on January 20, 2016.

TOWNSHIP OF HARRISON

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LOUIS F. MANZO, Mayor

ATTEST:

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DIANE L. MALLOY
Municipal Clerk

ROLL CALL VOTE				
COMMITTEE MEMBER	**AYES**	**NAYS**	**ABSTAIN**	**ABSENT**
Manzo				
Clowney				
Diggons				
Heim				
Williams				

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above resolution is a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Harrison, County of Gloucester, State of New Jersey, at a meeting held by the same on January 20, 2016 in the Harrison Township Municipal Building, 114 Bridgeton Pike, Mullica Hill, New Jersey 08062.

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DIANE L. MALLOY
Municipal Clerk