R-140-19

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF WHARTON AUTHORIZING THE RENEWAL OF A COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEM AND TO ENTER INTO COOPERATIVE PRICING AGREEMENTS WITH OTHER CONTRACTING UNITS

WHEREAS, *N.J.S.A.* 40A:11-11(5) authorizes two or more contracting units to establish a Cooperative Pricing System and to enter into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement for its administration; and

WHEREAS, in R-90-14, the Borough established a Cooperative Pricing System and entered into a Cooperative Pricing Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Wharton is desirous of renewing said Cooperative Pricing System and renewing said Cooperative Pricing Agreement with other contracting units;

WHEREAS, the Borough of Wharton has agreed to continue to serve as the Lead Agency for the Cooperative Pricing System; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Wharton has duly considered the renewal of a Cooperative Pricing System for the provision and performance of goods and services; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

- 1) COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEM RENEWED The Borough Council of the Borough of Wharton hereby authorizes the renewal of the Cooperative Pricing System known as the Morris Area Energy Cooperative with the Borough of Wharton serving as the Lead Agency.
- 2) COOPERATIVE PRICING AGREEMENT The Mayor of the Borough of Wharton is hereby authorized to enter into separate Cooperative Pricing Agreements with the participating contracting units and said Agreement shall be deemed a single Agreement.
- 3) COPY OF RESOLUTION TO DIVISION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES A single certified copy of this resolution shall be forwarded to the Division of Local Government Services as part of the application for the renewal of this Cooperative Pricing System.
 - 4) EFFECTIVE DATE This resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

| Adopted: September 23, 2019 | BOROUGH OF WHARTON WILLIAM J. CHEGWIDDEN, |
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| ATTEST: | |
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| | MAYOR |
| Gabrielle Evangelista, | |
| Borough Clerk | |