

**AUTHORIZING PURCHASES UNDER THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY
COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, the Township of Livingston, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12(a) and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29(c) may by resolution and without advertising for bids, purchase any goods or services under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program for any State contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property in the Department of Treasury; and,

WHEREAS, the Township of Livingston has the need on a timely basis to purchase goods or services utilizing State contracts; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Livingston intends to enter into contracts with the attached referenced State contract vendors through this resolution and properly executed purchase orders, which shall be subject to all the conditions applicable to current State contracts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Livingston authorizes the purchase of certain goods and services from those approved New Jersey State contract vendors on the attached list, pursuant to all the conditions of the individual State contracts; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Township Council that, pursuant to the N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.5(b), the certification of available funds shall be certified at such time as the goods or services are called for prior to placing the order, and a certification of availability of funds is made by the Chief Financial Officer via an authorized purchase order; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the duration of this authorization shall be until December 31, 2010 or upon the expiration of the vendors' contract, whichever event first occurs.

Arlene A. Johnson, Mayor

Glenn R. Turtletaub, Township Clerk

Approved as to form:

Sharon L. Weiner, Township Attorney

Adopted: January 4, 2010