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**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF PHILLIPSBURG, COUNTY OF WARREN,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AWARDED CONTRACT FOR SEWER PIPE REPAIRS
ON AN EMERGENCY BASIS**

WHEREAS, the Town of Phillipsburg’s professionals, Van Cleef Engineering Associates (“Town Professionals”), witnessed a video recording of the existing 24” storm sewer pipe located on Block 1003, Lot 9;

WHEREAS, the Town Professionals observed the pipe is in relatively poor condition with numerous cracks; and

WHEREAS, the video recording also revealed the presence of carbonate rock locally to the trench; and

WHEREAS, the condition of the cracked pipe will eventually create sinkholes; and

WHEREAS, the location of the pipe in need of repair is the site of the Chase Bank project; and

WHEREAS, in the opinion of the Town professionals, it is necessary to immediately address the Emergency so as to eliminate any concern for sinkholes and to avoid interfering with the projected completion of the Chase Bank project; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Phillipsburg has sought replacement equipment and repair work on an emergency basis (the “Emergency Repairs”); and

WHEREAS, East Coast Contracting, LLC is providing the Emergency Repairs for the price of \$67,600.00; and

WHEREAS, sufficient funding is available as evidenced by the attached certification of funds; and

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Phillipsburg, County of Warren, State of New Jersey, that the Town Council does hereby award the Contracts for Emergency Repairs of 120 linear feet of the 24” storm sewer pipe located on Block 1003, Lot 9, to East Coast Contracting, LLC in the amount of \$67,600.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Municipal Clerk are hereby authorized to enter into the contract on behalf of the Town of Phillipsburg.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall be incorporated into, and form a part of, the contract documents.

CERTIFICATION

I, Victoria L. Kleiner, Municipal Clerk for the Town of Phillipsburg, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution duly adopted by the Town Council at their October 03, 2017 meeting.

Victoria L. Kleiner
Municipal Clerk