

Resolution No. 2023- 140

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF PHILLIPSBURG, COUNTY OF WARREN,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AWARDED A CONTRACT TO MONTANA
CONSTRUCTION TO REPLACE STORM DAMAGED MANHOLES ON AN
EMERGENCY BASIS**

WHEREAS, the Town of Phillipsburg Department of Public Works and Department of Emergency Management observed roadway damage from the storm event that occurred on Sunday July 16, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Phillipsburg Department of Public Works and Department of Emergency requested the Town Engineer Van Cleef Engineering to review storm damaged manholes and roadway pavement at the intersection of Roseberry and Elder on July 17, 2023; and

WHEREAS, Van Cleef Engineering acting as the Town Engineer recommended emergency closure of 3 lanes of Roseberry Street at Elder due road settlement and heaving and observed damage due to failure of sewer manholes at the intersection; and

WHEREAS, the extended closure of the Roseberry Street due to storm damage would impact the access to Warren Hospital; and

WHEREAS, the restriction on access to Warren Hospital posed a danger to the health, safety and public welfare per the Town Professionals; and

WHEREAS, because of the foregoing, it was necessary to immediately contract for work to be performed to remediate the Event and to eliminate the danger to the health, safety and public welfare; and

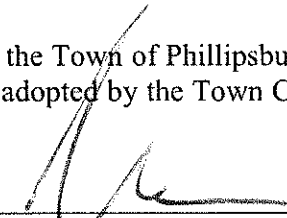
WHEREAS, the Town of Phillipsburg has sought replacement of two sewer manholes on an emergency basis (the “Emergency Repairs”).

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 declare an emergency

to have existed on July 17, 2023 as result storm damages from the July 16, 2023 storm event, that Emergency Repairs were necessary and authorizes the repairs and payment for services rendered therefor to Montana Contracting with an estimated value of work of \$175,000.00.

CERTIFICATION

I, Matthew Hall, 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 July 18, 2023 meeting.



Matthew Hall, Acting Municipal Clerk