

Township of West Milford

Passaic County, New Jersey

~ Resolution 2017 – 170 ~

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD, COUNTY OF PASSAIC AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A LOAN APPLICATION FOR THE BUBBLING SPRINGS LOWER POND DAM, UNDER THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION'S DAM RESTORATION LOAN PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, based on the *2008 Hazard Classification Study* and *2009 Regular Inspection Report*, the Bubbling Springs Lower Pond Dam does not meet the Spillway Design Storm (SDS), as required by the NJDEP Bureau of Dam Safety and Flood Control; and

WHEREAS, the Bubbling Springs Lower Pond is integral to the recirculation and aeration of the Township's main swimming lake at Bubbling Springs Park; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council has previously authorized a professional services contract for a dam engineer to design and provide construction oversight of the improvements to the Bubbling Springs Lower Pond Dam; and

WHEREAS, the consulting dam engineer has provided a preliminary construction cost estimate of necessary repairs to bring the dam into compliance with NJDEP standards; and

WHEREAS, the Township of West Milford has determined that the Dam Restoration Loan Program is the most cost effective method to provide the funding necessary to rehabilitate the dam.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of West Milford does hereby authorize the submission of a New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection dam restoration loan application under the provisions of the Dam, Lake, Stream, Flood Control, Water Resources and Wastewater Treatment Project Bond Act of 2003 in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:24A et seq.

Approved: May 3, 2017

Adopted this 3rd day of May, 2017
and certified as a true copy of the original.

Antoinette Battaglia, Township Clerk

My signature and the Clerk's seal serve to acknowledge the above resolution and constitute acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement and approve the execution of the grant agreement as authorized by the resolution above.

ATTEST AND AFFIX SEAL

Antoinette Battaglia, Township Clerk

Bettina Bieri, Mayor