

## **Township of West Milford**

Passaic County, New Jersey

### **~ Resolution 2021 – 448 ~**

#### **RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST MILFORD, COUNTY OF PASSAIC, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING PAYMENT TO FIRST ENVIRONMENT FOR ENVIRONMENTAL TESTING ON TOWNSHIP PROPERTY KNOWN AS BLOCK 6002 LOTS 18.02 AND 28.03**

**WHEREAS**, the Township of West Milford owns Block 6002 Lots 18.02 and 28.03; and

**WHEREAS**, Block 6002 Lots 18.02 and 28.03 is utilized by a third party; and

**WHEREAS**, the materials being stored on the property raised environmental concerns; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township participates in an Environmental Joint Insurance Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, the Environmental Joint Insurance Fund recommended undertaking environmental testing of the property; and

**WHEREAS**, the Environmental Joint Insurance Fund advised that the cost of such testing would be covered by the Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township employed First Environment to conduct testing; and

**WHEREAS**, the preliminary testing revealed concerning contaminant on the property; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township requested that First Environment conduct a second round of testing to better understand the source of the contaminants; and

**WHEREAS**, the total cost for the two rounds of testing up to this point in time is \$20,142.07; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has certified as to the availability of funds in budgetary line item 01-201-20-161-450; and

**WHEREAS**, the Administration recommends payment to First Environment in the amount of \$20,142.07.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of West Milford that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to make payment in the amount of \$20,142.07 to First Environment, 10 Park Place Bldg. 1A Suite 504, Butler, NJ 07405.

Adopted: December 8, 2021

Adopted this 8<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021  
and certified as a true copy of an original.

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William Senande, Township Clerk