

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HIRING OF A MUNICIPAL ATTORNEY
THROUGH THE COMPETITIVE CONTRACTING PROCESS**

WHEREAS, the Borough has a desire to obtain a Municipal Attorney as a Professional Service in accord with the New Jersey Local Publics Contract Law (N.J.S.A 40A:11-1 et. Seq.); and

WHEREAS, such services are currently available to be provided through the competitive contracting process under the New Jersey Local Publics Contract Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-4.1(i).; and

WHEREAS, the Borough desires to evaluate attorney submittals within the procedures as set forth in the New Jersey Local Publics Contract Law (N.J.S.A.40A:11-4.1 et. seq. and N.J.A.C. 5:34-4 et. Seq.); and

WHEREAS, the Borough desires to enter into a contract for up to a five (5) year contract that will satisfy the needs of the Borough; and

WHEREAS, as per statute the process will be administered by the Borough Administrator (N.J.S.A 40A:11-4.5(d)).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the Borough of Wharton, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

The Borough Administrator is hereby authorized to commence the competitive contract/ procurement as allowable under the New Jersey Local Publics Contract Law for Payment Processing Services, allowing for a minimum of 20 days' notice after advertisement to receive responses, per Local Publics Contract Law.

Adopted: December 17, 2018

BOROUGH OF WHARTON

ATTEST:

WILLIAM J. CHEGWIDDEN,
MAYOR

Gabrielle Evangelista,
Borough Clerk