



**TOWNSHIP OF DOWNE
CUMBERLAND COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Bart, E.	X			
Byrne, S.	X			
Burt, S.	X			
Rothman, M	X			
Campbell, R.	X			

Resolution Number: R-111-2020 Dated: November 9, 2020 Offered By: ROTHMAN Seconded By: BART
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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION
FOR THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMERGENCY FUND AND EXECUTE A GRANT
AGREEMENT WITH THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY
AFFAIRS**

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs is providing funding from the Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) for the Local Government Emergency Fund to aid counties and municipalities that were excluded from the federal government's direct CRF allocation plan. The COVID-19 crisis has severely impacted county and local governments in New Jersey, and they are facing increased costs in health benefits, health and human services, public safety, overtime, equipment, and supply expenditures. These relief funds will help to address necessary and unexpected expenditures necessitated by the pandemic; and

WHEREAS, qualifying expenditures for the Local Government Emergency Fund include public safety and health-related expenses, COVID-19-related overtime, increased residential and health-related garbage collection and services, remote working technology, signage and information technology related to the COVID-19 response and recovery, and public health-related retrofit expenses for reopening;

WHEREAS, eligible expenditures must be incurred during the covered period between March 1, 2020 and December 30, 2020

WHEREAS, this program is available to the Township of Downe;
and

WHEREAS, this grant program does not require matching funds;
and

WHEREAS, the Township of Downe carefully considers grant programs that assist the City in achieving projects and programs that are priorities for the community;

WHEREAS, the Township of Downe wishes to apply for funding through the Local Government Emergency Fund;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Body of the Township of Downe formally supports this Local Government Emergency Fund application.

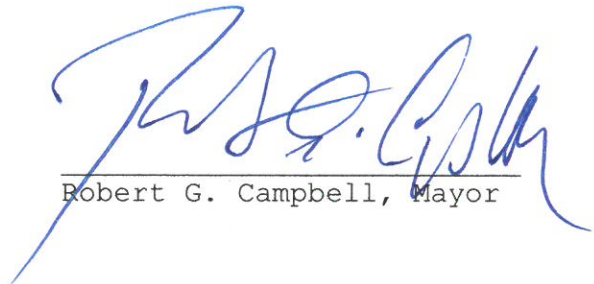
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to submit an electronic grant application to the New Jersey Department of Community Affairs for the Local Government Emergency Fund on behalf of the Township of Downe.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to sign the grant agreement on behalf of the Township of Downe and that their signature constitutes acceptance of the terms and conditions of the grant agreement and approves the execution of the grant agreement.

THIS RESOLUTION was adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Downe on November 9, 2020.

ATTEST:


Nadine E. Lockley, Municipal Clerk


Robert G. Campbell, Mayor

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

I, **NADINE E. LOCKLEY, RMC, CMR**, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Downe, County of Cumberland, State of New Jersey do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the Resolution adopted by the Downe Township Committee of the Township of Downe, County of Cumberland, State of New Jersey, at their Regular Meeting held on October 12, 2020 at 7:00 pm at the Municipal Complex.

Date

NADINE E. LOCKLEY, RMC, CMR
Municipal Clerk