

AUTHORIZATION TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH DRAGER, INC. FOR THE PURCHASE OF AN ALCOTEST 9510 TEST SYSTEM AT A COST NOT TO EXCEED \$19,305.00

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey is testing the new Alcotest System in a pilot program with the New Jersey State Police and other selected Municipal entities; and

WHEREAS, Colts Neck Township and Colts Neck Township Police Department were selected to participate in the aforementioned pilot program; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Attorney General’s Office approved only the use of a proprietary piece of equipment, the Alcotest 9510 Evidential Breath Test System, for the pilot program; and

WHEREAS, Drager, Inc. is the sole provider of the required Alcotest 9510 Evidential Breath Test System to be utilized in the pilot program; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40:11-5(1)(dd) sets forth exceptions to the Local Public Contracts Law for professional services and for extraordinary unspecified services (“EUS”) and goods; and

WHEREAS, in order to better protect persons and property of the community it is absolutely vital that the Township and its residents have a police force that has the appropriate and necessary equipment to combat drunk driving; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police recommends that the Township participate in the pilot program and purchase the Alcotest 9510 Evidential Breath Test System; and

WHEREAS, the Township is not required to solicit bids for the work and services associated with the acquisition of the Alcotest 9510 Evidential Breath Test System pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:11-5(1)(dd).

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer of the Township has certified that the funds are available to retain and enter into a contract with Drager, Inc., in the total amount not to exceed \$19,305.00 through funds available to the Township through.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Township Committee of Colts Neck Township authorize to participate in the State pilot program and purchase the Alcotest 9510 Evidential Breath Test System at a price not to exceed amount of \$19,305.00.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all Township officials including, but not limited to the Mayor, the Township Administrator and the Municipal Clerk, are hereby authorized and directed to take such ministerial actions as are necessary to effectuate the provisions of this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that notice of this Resolution shall be presented and published in compliance with N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(1)(dd).

I, Trina Lindsey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of a resolution passed by the Township Committee of Colts Neck Township during a regular meeting held on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of March 2022.

  
Trina Lindsey, Municipal Clerk

RECORD OF VOTE					
	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Bartolomeo					X
Deputy Mayor Fitzpatrick		X			
Torchia Buss	S	X			
Rizzuto					X
Viola	M	X			
M - Moved   S - Seconded   X - indicates vote   NV - Not Voting   Ab - Absent					