## **RESOLUTION 2025-167**

## AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR USE OF TOWNSHIP PROPERTY FOR AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES

WHEREAS, bids were solicited for the use of Township property for agricultural purposes have been duly advertised and publicly read pursuant to law on September 16, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Qualified Purchasing Agent received one (1) bid, and has made a recommendation to award the following contract; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of Colts Neck Township that it hereby awards a bid in this regard as follows:

Vendor:

Slope Brook Farm, Inc.

213 Heyers Mill Road Colts Neck, NJ 07722

Amount:

\$50 per acre, 30 acres = \$1,500 per year

Payable to the Township each year

(\$3,000 for a total of 2 years)

Term:

Two Years – January 1, 2026 – December 31, 2026, January 1, 2027 – December 31, 2027 with an optional twelve month extension, January 1, 2028 – December 31,

2028

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute all documents in this regard; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Thomas Orgo, III, Slope Brook Farm, Inc., Vendor;
- 2. John Antonides, Chief Financial Officer; and
- 3. Meghan Bennett, Esq., Township Attorney

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 24<sup>th</sup> day of September 2025

Trina Lindsey, Municipal Clerk

RECORD OF VOTE					_
	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Torchia Buss		X			
Deputy Mayor Viola	S	X			
Buzzetta		X			
Fitzpatrick	M	X			
Rizzuto		X_			
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