

Borough of Franklin, County of Sussex

Resolution #2024-47

AUTHORIZING TO JOIN THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX IN APPLYING FOR THE LEAP IMPLEMENTATION GRANT

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey has appropriated \$7.5 million for Shared Services and School District Consolidation Study and Implementation Grants to assist local units with the study, development, and implementation of new shared and regional services; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Community Affairs, Division of Local Government Services (DLGS) is tasked with administering these grant funds through the Local Efficiency Achievement Program (LEAP); and

WHEREAS, LEAP Implementation Grants exist to support costs associated with shared service implementation to ensure that meaningful, efficiency generating initiatives are not hindered by short term transitional expenses; and

WHEREAS, the County of Sussex Senior Services and the Borough of Franklin propose to enter into a shared services agreement, but face certain expenses associated with implementation that present a burden to the local units; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this shared services agreement is to provide support and social activities for senior citizens which will benefit the residents of all participating local units; and

WHEREAS, the County of Sussex has agreed to be the lead agency in this program and will submit the application to DLGS on behalf of all participating units; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the Borough of Franklin, that the Borough of Franklin does hereby join with the County of Sussex applying for a LEAP Implementation Grant in the amount of \$53,334.00 to support implementation of this shared service.

CERTIFICATION

I, Darlene J. Tremont, Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Franklin in the County of Sussex, and the State of New Jersey do hereby Certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Original Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of the full membership of the Borough of Franklin Governing Body at its meeting of April 9, 2024.


 Darlene J. Tremont, Municipal Clerk

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTES				
COUNCIL MEMBER	AYES	NAYES	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
CONCETTO FORMICA	X			
RACHEL HEATH	X			
JOSEPH LIMON	X			
JOHN POSTAS	X			
STEPHEN SKELLENGER	X			
GILBERT SNYDER	X			
MAYOR SOWDEN (Tie Only)				