

TOWNSHIP OF SHREWSBURY (TABLED)

Resolution 2024-98

County of Monmouth

**AUTHORIZING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATIONS CONTRACT FOR
SERVICES PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6**

WHEREAS, the Municipal Engineer and the Municipal Acting Clerk have indicated to the Chief Financial Officer that an emergent situation has arisen requiring emergency repairs and replacement of all four heating units in Municipal Hall, located at 1979 Crawford Street, Shrewsbury Township, New Jersey, with high efficiency furnaces; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6 authorizes a municipality to contract for services without public advertising for bids and bidding notwithstanding the contract price exceeding the bid threshold, when an emergency affecting the public health, safety or welfare requires immediate performance of services, and N.J.S.A. 40A:4-46 further authorizes emergency appropriations and N.J.S.A. 40A:4-48 provides that emergency appropriation is further allowed if put together with all prior emergency appropriations made during the same year, and said appropriation does not exceed 3% of the total of current and utility operating appropriations made in the budget, in which case the governing body may, by Resolution, adopt the same by not less than 2/3 vote of its full membership; declaring that an emergency does exist requiring appropriate appropriation and setting forth the emergency in full; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified and has provided a statement, the same of which is available in the Clerk's Office of Neptune Township, that this Resolution does give rise to an emergency, and that no adequate provision was made in the 2024 budget for the aforesaid purpose, and that N.J.S.A. 40A:4-46 provides for the creation of an emergency appropriation for purposes mentioned above; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of the emergency appropriation created, including the appropriation to be created by this Resolution is \$32,444.00 after quotes were sought from 3 contractor and 3% of the total operating appropriations in the budget is \$_____.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Shrewsbury, County of Monmouth and State of New Jersey (not less than 2/3 of the members thereof affirmatively concurring) and in accordance with the aforesaid State Statutes, that the governing body hereby authorizes that:

1. An emergency appropriation be and the same is hereby made in the amount of \$32,444.00 for a contract with NJR Homes Services; the proposal of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit A from the Line Item entitled, "Fund Balance" and a true copy of the Certification of the Chief Financial Officer is available in the Clerk's Office of Shrewsbury Township;
2. Said emergency appropriation shall be provided for in full in the 2025 budget; and
3. One certified copy of the within Resolution is to be filed with the Director of Local Government Services.

Name	Motion	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Lettice						
Puhak						
Jennings						

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of the resolution adopted by the Township Committee at the Meeting held on December 10, 2024.

Katrina Thornton
Acting Municipal Clerk

Lester Jennings
Mayor

Catherine LaPorta
Chief Financial Officer