RESOLUTION NO. 158-2023 MONMOUTH COUNTY SPCA 2024 CONTRACT

(January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024)

Councilmember Keeler introduced and offered the following Resolution for its adoption: seconded by Councilmember Bieber:

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright is in need of animal control services within the Borough, and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Sea Bright wishes to retain the services of the Monmouth County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (MCSPCA) for animal control for a period beginning the 1st day of January, 2024 and ending on the 31st day of December, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council is in receipt of the 2024 agreement (attached hereto) which outlines the scope of services to be provided, including an animal control officer, for a sum of \$3,900.00 to be prorated on a monthly basis of \$325.00; and

WHEREAS, the Borough has previously entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with the MCSPCA for the purpose of TNR (Trap, Neuter, Release Program) and wishes to continue that program at the rate of \$37.50 per cat.

CERTIFICATION OF FUNDS

Michael J. Bascom, Chief Financial Officer of the Borough of Sea Bright, has certified that funds are available in the Animal Control Trust Fund for the purposes stated herein.

MICHAEL J. BASCOM, CFO

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, hereby authorize the animal control services with the Monmouth County SPCA for the year 2024 at a rate of \$3,900.00 per the attached agreement and authorize the continuation of the Memorandum of Understanding with the Monmouth County SPCA required to participate in the Trap, Neuter and Release Program; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this agreement is made pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:48-5.1.

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

- 1. Monmouth County SPCA
- 2. Police Department
- 3. Finance Manager

Roll Call:

Bieber,

Catalano,

Gorman,

Keeler,

Lamia

Yes Yes

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Booker,

Yes

Yes

Yes

Absent

October 17, 2023

CERTIFICATION

I, Christine Pfeiffer, Borough Clerk do hereby certify that the foregoing is a resolution adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth State of New Jersey, at a Council Meeting held on October 17, 2023.

Christine Pfeiffer, Borough Clerk