

Resolution of the Demarest Governing Body

Resolution No. 182-26

October 13, 2026

Council Member	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Slowikowski	✓		✓			
Carmeli			✓			
Collins		✓	✓			
Jiang			✓			
Marks			✓			
Reiss			✓			

**TITLE: AUTHORIZING ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR GRANT
APPLICATION**

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WHEREAS the Borough of Demarest has a need for engineering design services related to the a grant application to NJ Department of Transportation's Safe Routes to School Program For The "Demarest Pedestrian Safety Project"; and

WHEREAS, the Borough received a proposal dated October 5, 2026 from Colliers Engineering & Design to provide those services, attached, for the sum of \$8,500.00; and

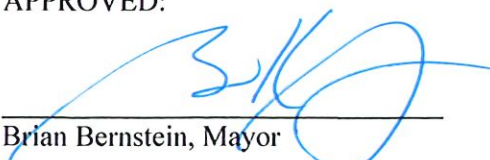
WHEREAS, the appointment and the contract are exempted from the competitive bidding requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law, (NJSA 40A:11-1 et. Seq.) as "Professional Services", pursuant to NJSA 40A:11-5(1)(a); and

WHEREAS, the vendor is the currently appointed 2026 Borough Engineer for the Borough of Demarest and the Mayor and Council awarded said 2026 contract pursuant to the provisions of NJSA 19:44A-20.5; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified that funds are available in the Borough's Capital Fund;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough of Demarest that the Borough Administrator is authorized to execute the agreement to authorize Colliers Engineering & Design to perform the work described herein not to exceed \$8,500.00, a copy of which is annexed to this Resolution.

APPROVED:



Brian Bernstein, Mayor

CERTIFICATION OF CFO

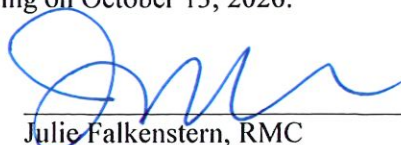
I, Jessie Coward, do hereby certify the availability of funds for the expenditure referenced herein.



Jessie Coward, CFO

CERTIFICATION

I, Julie Falkenstern, Borough Clerk, of the Borough of Demarest, in the County of Bergen 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 the Governing Body at the meeting on October 13, 2026.



Julie Falkenstern, RMC
Borough Clerk