## **RESOLUTION 2024 - 4**

## RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT FOR LANDSCAPING AND GROUNDS CARE AT MORRIS MEWS, PLEASANT VIEW VILLAGE, PEER PLACE, BENNETT AVENUE, GREEN POND VILLAGE AND INDIA BROOK VILLAGE

WHEREAS, the Housing Authority of the County of Morris has solicited bids for Landscaping and Grounds Care at Morris Mews, Pleasant View Village, Peer Place, Bennett Avenue, Green Pond Village and India Brook Village in accordance with the New Jersey Public Contract Law; and

WHEREAS, the bids were accepted in accordance with specifications prepared by the Housing Authority and read aloud at 10:00 A.M. on April 2, 2024 at the offices of the Housing Authority County of Morris, located at 99 Ketch Road, Morristown, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, Northeast Group LLC is the lowest responsible bidder for Morris Mews, Pleasant View Village, Peer Place, Bennett Avenue, Green Pond Village and India Brook Village for a cost of \$68,720.00 per year for a one-year contract from April 15, 2024 to December 15, 2024, with the option to extend the contract for two additional years; and

WHEREAS, funds are available from the US Department of Housing and Urban Development and USDA Rural Development; and

WHEREAS, the Housing Authority County of Morris finds that the best interests of the Authority and the purpose of the New Jersey Local Public Contract Law would be served by awarding the contract to the lowest responsible bidder.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners of the Housing Authority County of Morris hereby approves the award of the Landscaping and Grounds Care contract for Morris Mews, Pleasant View Village, Peer Place, Bennett Avenue, Green Pond Village and India Brook Village to **Northeast Group LLC.** 

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution shall be published in the Daily Record, as required by law, within ten (10) days of its passage.

	Kelly A. Stephens		
April 11, 2024	Kelly A. Stephens, Director/Secretary		
Date Adopted			

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE TO PAY THE ABOVE EXPENDITURES

Gina Bozzi

GINA BOZZI, FINANCE DIRECTOR