SECOND READING 2024-59

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A DEED OF EASEMENT FOR DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENT PURPOSES FROM BLOCK 175.06 LOT 296.02, 96 PITMAN AVENUE

WHEREAS, the Township of Woodbridge is desirous of reducing flooding and improving drainage throughout the Township; and

WHEREAS, the Township conducted a study in an effort to identify solutions to historical flooding concerns throughout various sections of the Township; and

WHEREAS, the Township has determined that certain improvements to both public and private property throughout the Township (hereinafter the "Project") will help to mitigate flooding concerns in various sections of the Township; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that the Township receive a perpetual drainage easement to make use of a portion of private property along a certain tract of land located at Block 175.06, Lot 296.02, more commonly known as 96 Pitman Avenue (the "Property"), to install certain drainage improvements as more specifically described in the Individual Property Parcel Map attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that the Township receive a temporary construction easement to allow for the construction of certain drainage improvements on the Property as more specifically described in the Individual Property Parcel Map attached hereto as Exhibit B; and

WHEREAS, the Grantors, Panagiotis Daskalothanasis and Olga Mantsis, are the owners of the Property and recognize that the Property is subject to flooding issues that threaten the safety and property of the Grantor and of the residents of the Township of Woodbridge; and

WHEREAS, the Grantors are desirous of participating in the Township's Project by providing a perpetual easement to the Township of Woodbridge ("Grantee") to construct and maintain certain drainage improvements to the Property; and

WHEREAS, the Township is required to obtain a perpetual easement for the construction of the drainage improvements;

SECTION I.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WOODBRIDGE that the Municipal Council hereby authorizes the Township to accept a Deed of Drainage Easement from the Grantor for the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) with respect to the Property identified herein to install certain drainage improvements; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that the Mayor or his designee, the Business Administrator or his designee, the Director of Law or his designee, and the Municipal Clerk are hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary to accept the Deed of Drainage Easement, described in Exhibits A, from the Grantor.

SECTION II. The various parts, sections, and clauses of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable. If any part, sentence, paragraph, section or clause is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of the Ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION III. Any ordinances and parts thereof in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION IV. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final adoption and publication as may be required by law.

ADOPTED:

I hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of the Ordinance adopted by the Municipal Council of the Township of Woodbridge at their Regular Meeting held on

JOHN M. MITCH, RMC, CMC, CMR MUNICIPAL CLERK

EXHIBIT A INDIVIDUAL PARCEL MAP

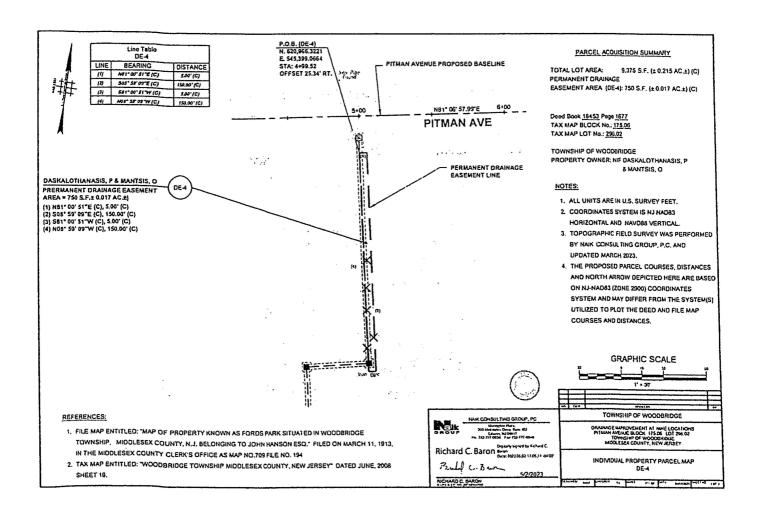


EXHIBIT B INDIVIDUAL PARCEL MAP

