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BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

RESOLUTION 19-101

RESOLUTION ADOPTING HIGHLANDS BUSINESS PARTNERSHIP BUDGET FOR THE YEAR 2019

WHEREAS, in accordance with Chapter 17-6 of the Borough Code, the nonprofit corporation, Highlands Business Partnership, Inc., is designated as the District Management Corporation for the Business Improvement District; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 17-8 of the Borough Code sets forth that the District Management Corporation shall submit no later than December 1 of each year a detailed annual budget for the following year for approval by the Mayor and Council; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 17-8 of the Borough Code also sets forth that the aforesaid budget shall be proposed and adopted by the Borough on or before April 1st of each year in accordance with the procedures set forth in N.J.S.A. 40:56-84; and

WHEREAS, the Highlands Business Partnership has submitted its annual budget for the year 2019 for approval by the Mayor and Council; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the procedures set forth in N.J.S.A. 40:56-84, the governing body introduced the aforesaid budget of the Highlands Business Partnership for the year 2019, at its meeting on February 20, 2019 by way of Resolution 19-081, and set a public hearing date of March 20, 2019 at 8:00p.m.; and

WHEREAS, the governing body has since introduced Ordinance O-19-06, which, if adopted, would amend the Business Improvement District's expiration date to the end of the third quarter, on September 30, 2019;

WHEREAS, in light of the proposed amendment, the Borough of Highlands considered a proposed amended budget pursuant to <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40:56-84(g), to reduce the assessment income provided by the Borough by 25% to \$54,750 due to the amended expiration date of the Business Improvement District; and

WHEREAS, the amended budget, a copy of which is annexed hereto, was advertised in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40:56-84(g) and scheduled for the same public hearing date as previously scheduled, on March 20, 2019 at 8:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing having been held in accordance with the procedures set forth in N.J.S.A. 40:56-84 and all of the requirements attendant thereto having been met.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Highlands that the governing body hereby adopts the amended annual budget for the Highlands Business Partnership for the year 2019 which is annexed hereto.

Motion to Approve Resolution 19-101:

	INTROUCED	SECONDED	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT	
BRASWELL					Х		
BROULLON				Х			
MAZZOLA				Х			
RYAN		Х	Х				ł
O'NEIL	Х		Х				

I, Bonnie Brookes, Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Highlands, in the County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, hereby certify this to be a true copy of the action of the Governing Body, at its Council Meeting, held March 20, 2019. WITNESS my hand this 22nd day of March 2019.

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Municipal Clerk

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HIGHLANDS BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT Highlands Business Partnership January 1, 2019– December 31, 2019

COMMERCIAL DISTRICT PROGRAM BUDGET	2019 EXPENSE
Visual Improvement. Beautification & Public Space Maintenance Holiday & Seasonal	\$15,000.00
Special Events Expenses Production Costs for Annual Event Calendar; i.e. stage, electric, propane, entertainment, sanitation	\$75,000.00 supplies
Marketing & Communications. Online Advertising Campaigns County & State Tourism Ads Social Media Ads Visitor Guide Updates, Design & Printing Miscellaneous Print Advertising & Rack Cards Maintain Website & Database & Graphic Ad Design	\$25,000.00
Economic DevelopmentBusiness Grants	\$15,000.00
Administrative Budget Staff Payroll, Workers, Interns	\$60,000.00
Miscellaneous. Legal Fees Audit, Accounting, Tax Returns Insurance (JIF & D&O) Office Supplies Utilities – Telephone, fax & electric Dues, Subscriptions, Filing Fees TOTAL Expenses.	

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COMMERCIAL DISTRICT PROGRAM BUDGET

2019 Income

 Special Events Income (before expenses)\$105,000.00 Vendor, Raffle, Social Affairs Income
 Marketing & Grant Income\$ 32,000.00 Sponsorship Income (approx. \$15k) Grant Income (\$16,250) Barter Goods & Services (approx. \$15k)
TOTAL Income\$137,000.00

TOTAL ASSESSMENT INCOME REQUIRED TO OPERATE - \$73,000.00

TOTAL ASSESSMENT INCOME ALLOWED PURSUANT TO AMENDED BID EXPIRATION DATE OF 9/30/2019 \$54,750.00