



**BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**

RESOLUTION 19-276

A Resolution Authorizing the Execution of a Shared Services Agreement Between the Borough of Highlands and the Plainfield Municipal Utilities Authority for Video Inspection, Cleaning and Repair of Sewer Lines and Reporting Services

WHEREAS, the Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1, et. seq., allows a local unit to enter into an agreement with any other local unit or units to provide or receive any service that each local unit participating in the agreement is empowered to provide or receive within its own jurisdiction, including services incidental to primary purposes of any of the participating local units; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Municipal and County Utilities Authorities Law N.J.S.A. 40:14B-1 et. seq., the Plainfield Municipal Utilities Authority ("Authority") is authorized to provide sewerage and solid waste services, both within and outside the municipal boundaries of the City of Plainfield; and

WHEREAS, the Authority and the Borough wish to enter into an agreement, whereby the Authority will inspect the Borough's sewer lines through the use of video equipment, provide the Borough with a report of its findings and video of the inspection for sewer lines designated by the Municipality, and clean and repair certain designated sewer sections of obstructions; and

WHEREAS, such services to be provided by the Authority shall include (1) the video inspection of sewer lines designated by the Borough, (2) the provision of a formal report to the Borough of its findings and video of the inspection of sewer lines and manhole sections designated by the Borough; (3) the cleaning of certain designated sewer lines and manhole sections of obstructions, and (4) the repair and sealing of sewer mains; and

WHEREAS, the Borough shall pay the Plainfield Municipal Utilities Authority a service fee based on a fee schedule provided by the Authority, for those services provided as designated by the Borough; and

WHEREAS, the term of the aforesaid Shared Services Agreement will be for a period of one (1) year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the governing body of the Borough of Highlands, that the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute a Shared Services Agreement with the Plainfield Municipal Utilities Authority for the aforesaid provision of video inspection, cleaning and repair of sewer lines and reporting services, wherein the term of the Agreement will be for a period of one (1) year.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that certified copies of this Resolution be forwarded to the Chief Financial Officer and the Borough of Highlands Administrator.

	INTRODUCED	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
BRASWELL		X	X			
BROULLON	X		X			
MAZZOLA			X			
RYAN			X			
O'NEIL			X			

This is a Certified True copy of the Original Resolution on file in the Municipal Clerk's Office.
DATE OF VOTE: 11/13/2019



Matthew Conlon, RMC, Municipal Clerk

