

RESOLUTION

**TO AUTHORIZE PURCHASE OF BLEACHERS FOR THE WEST ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL
BASEBALL FIELD IN THE AMOUNT OF \$40,474.97 THROUGH THE MIDDLESEX REGIONAL
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES
COMMISSION COOPERATIVE PRICING SYSTEM, BID NO. MRESC 12/13-58.**

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange in the 2014 Capital Budget included new bleachers for the West Orange High School Baseball Field to improve the sight lines of spectators; and

WHEREAS, the Township through its consultant, PS&S of Warren, New Jersey designed an 8 row elevated bleacher, 21 feet wide with an ADA compliant ramp and wheel chair cutouts; and

WHEREAS, the Middlesex Regional Educational Services Commission bid for cooperative pricing for goods and services which can provide Boards of Education, Municipalities and other political subdivisions of the State of New Jersey with cost savings; and

WHEREAS, the bleachers described above may be purchased through the Middlesex Regional Educational Services Commission Cooperative Pricing System Bid No. MRESC 12/13-58, through Nickerson Corporation, 515 Union Avenue, Union Beach, New Jersey 07735 in the amount of \$40,474.97, consisting of \$33,988.00 for the bleachers with installation and \$6,486.67 for the ADA ramp and wheel chair cutouts; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provision made in the Local Public Contracts Law N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(2) the Township as a Local Government Unit, may without advertising for bids, purchase any goods or services under any contract for such goods or services entered into on behalf of the State of New Jersey, County or Municipality thereof; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Municipal Council of the Township of West Orange who hereby authorizes the Purchasing Agent, on behalf of the Township to issue and execute a Purchase Order in the amount of \$40,474.97 to Nickerson Corporation, 515 Union Avenue, Union Beach, N.J. 07735 for the bleachers and quotations referenced above.

Karen J. Carnevale, Municipal Clerk

Susan McCartney Council President

Adopted: December 9, 2014

I hereby certify funds available: Account No. 03-2408-14-0010-010 (High School Bleachers)

John Gross , Chief Financial Officer