

209-23
May 16, 2023

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF ESSEX,
TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO RECEIVE GRANT
FUNDING FROM THE GOVERNOR’S COUNCIL ON DHMAS YOUTH LEADERSHIP**

WHEREAS, the Governor’s Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse (GCADA) established the Municipal Alliances for the Prevention of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse in 1989 to educate and engage residents, local government and law enforcement officials, schools, nonprofit organizations, the faith community, parents, youth and other allies in efforts to prevent alcoholism and drug abuse in communities throughout New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, in coordination with GCADA, the New Jersey Department of Human Services/ Division on Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS) has awarded a Youth Leadership Grant to the GCADA Municipal Alliance Program; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, County of Essex, State of New Jersey recognizes that the abuse of alcohol and drugs is a serious problem in our society amongst persons of all ages; and therefore, has an established Municipal Alliance Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange submitted an application for DHMAS Grant funding for the West Orange Municipal Alliance which was approved by the Township Council by Resolution 35-23 on January 24, 2023 attached hereto as Exhibit “A;” and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Township Council authorizes the Township of West Orange to enter the Contract and Form 1A Strategic Plan attached hereto as Exhibit “B.”

APPROVED: _____
Susan McCartney, Mayor

APPROVED: _____
Tammy Williams, Council President

CERTIFICATION

I, Karen J. Carnevale, Municipal Clerk of the Township of West Orange, County of Essex, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and exact copy of a resolution duly authorized by the Township Council on this 16th day of May, 2023

Karen J. Carnevale, Municipal Clerk