

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ELECTRONIC TAX SALE AND COST OF MAILING

WHEREAS, NJSA 54:5-19.1 authorizes municipalities to conduct electronic tax sales pursuant to rules and regulations to be promulgated by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services, and

WHEREAS, the Director of the Division of Local Government Services has approved NJ Tax Lien Investors/Real Auction.com to conduct electronic tax sales, and

WHEREAS, an electronic tax sale is innovative and provides a greater pool of potential lien buyers, thus creating the environment for a more complete tax sale process, and

WHEREAS, the Township of West Orange wishes to participate in an electronic sale.

WHEREAS, the rules and regulations require a municipality to send two (2) notices of tax sale to all properties included in said sale; and

WHEREAS, the rules and regulations allow said municipality to charge a fee of \$25.00 per notices for the creation, printing and mailing of said notice; and

WHEREAS, in an effort to more fairly assign greater fiscal responsibility to delinquent taxpayers, the Township of West Orange will charge \$25.00 per notice mailed which will be assessed specifically to the delinquent accounts that are causing the need for a tax sale and not the general tax base.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, that the Tax Collector is hereby authorized to participate in the electronic tax sale and submit to the Director of Local Government Services if necessary.

Karen J. Carnevale, R.M.C., Municipal Clerk

Bill Rutherford, Council President

Adopted: June 10, 2024