RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY County of Camden, State of New Jersey

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY TO EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BY AND BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF CAMDEN AND THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY FOR THE PURCHASE OF A HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RESPONSE VEHICLE

WHEREAS, the City of Gloucester ("City") desires to purchase and take ownership of a Hazardous Materials Response Vehicle (the "HMRV") for the amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) from the Township of Gloucester; and

WHEREAS, the Camden County Department of Public Safety ("County") will provide the City with a direct voucher in the amount of \$15,000.00 from the County Environmental Health Act (CEHA) Environmental Quality and Enforcement (EQEF) funds for the purchase of the HMRV; and

WHEREAS, the City will assign the HMRV to the Gloucester City Fire Department ("GCFD") for primary use as a member of the Camden County Hazardous Materials Response Task Force ("Task Force")

WHEREAS, the terms of this agreement must be met and maintained for as long as the City and/or the GCFD keeps or uses the HMRV; and

WHEREAS, failure to comply with the agreement will provide the County with the option to transfer title/ownership of the HMRV back to the County, or to a third party; and

WHEREAS, the County, the City and the GCFD agree that their mutual public purposes and their best interest will be promoted by the execution and delivery of a Memorandum of Understanding in order to ensure appropriate and optimum use of the HMRV and to set forth the rights, duties, and obligations between and among the parties hereto.

WHEREAS, Mayor and Common Council believe that this acquisition at no cost to the City is in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Gloucester City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester, County of Camden and State of New Jersey as follows:

- 1. The provisions of the **WHEREAS** clauses set forth above are incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof.
- 2. The Mayor and City Clerk of the City of Gloucester City are hereby authorized to execute a Memorandum of Understanding in a form to be negotiated by the City Attorney and the Office of County Counsel and take any and all actions necessary to carry out the purposes thereof.

Dayl R. Baile, Mayor City of Gloucester City

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify this is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted by the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Gloucester this July 28, 2022.

Vanessa L. Little, Registered Municipal Clerk