

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE COUNCIL
OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP
TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATIVE PRICING AGREEMENT WITH “THE
COOPERATIVE PURCHASING NETWORK” FOR THE CONDUCT OF
CERTAIN FUNCTIONS RELATING TO THE PURCHASE OF WORK
MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE JURISDICTIONS**

WHEREAS, Governor Christie recently signed into PL 2011, C.139; and

WHEREAS, this law affects public contracting laws for all government contracting agencies by permitting agencies to use contracts awarded by “national” or “regional” cooperatives or other states that were competitively bid; and

WHEREAS, “The Cooperative Purchasing Network” or TCPN is a national governmental purchasing cooperative which assists public agencies to optimize efficiency when procuring goods and services;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris and the State of New Jersey:

Pursuant to the provisions of PL, 2011, c. 139, the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive is hereby authorized to enter into a cooperative pricing agreement with “The Cooperative Purchasing Network” for the purpose of work, materials and supplies.

The Township Administrator is authorized to execute all necessary documents for membership in the “TCPN”.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Colleen Labow, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a resolution passed by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive at a duly convened meeting held on _____, 2013.

Lisa Lashway, Township Clerk