

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT
OLIVE AUTHORIZING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH
BANISCH ASSOCATES, INC. FOR SERVICES IN CONNECTION
WITH THE REVISION & UPDATE OF THE MOUNT OLIVE
RECREATION & OPEN SPACE INVENTORY**

WHEREAS, the Township has determined there is a need to revise and update the Mount Olive Recreation & Open Space Inventory; and

WHEREAS, after such determination by the Township it has been both requested and recommended by the Township that a professional services agreement be entered into for work which is needed and is necessary for the revision and update of the Mount Olive Recreation & Open Space Inventory; and

WHEREAS, Banisch Associates, Inc., has provided the Township with a proposal dated April 10, 2013 with a copy of which is attached hereto; and

WHEREAS, the Township wishes to proceed with this project as outlined in Banisch Associates proposal at a fee not to exceed \$2,000.00; and

WHEREAS, funds are available for this purpose from the Open Space Trust; and

WHEREAS, the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1, et seq.) requires that the resolution authorizing the award of contracts for "professional services" without competitive bid and the contract itself must be made available for public inspection.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey, that a professional services agreement is hereby awarded to Banisch Associates, Inc. for a fee not to exceed \$2,000.00, as outlined in its proposal dated April 10, 2013; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this contract is awarded without competitive bidding, as the services to be provided are professional in nature.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Colleen Labow, Council President

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

Lisa Lashway, Township Clerk