ORDINANCE NO. 2024–16

ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LITTLE EGG HARBOR, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF A PERMANENT EASEMENT ON A PORTION OF BLOCK 285.11, LOT 16, 179 OAK LANE, FROM JOEL MARTIN, IN ACCORDANCE WITH <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:12-5(a)(1)

WHEREAS, Joel Martin, Grantor, is the owner of Block 285.11, Lot 16 (the

"Property"); and

WHEREAS, the Township (Grantee) desires a permanent easement upon the

Property to construct, use, maintain and/or replace a public sidewalk and related infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, Township requires a permanent easement on Grantor's Property to

construct, use, maintain and/or replace a public sidewalk and related infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, said project is part of the Oak Avenue Pedestrian Safety Improvement

Project; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:12-5(a)(1) authorizes the Township to acquire an

interest in real property by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Little Egg Harbor desires to acquire a permanent easement along a portion of Block 285.11, Lot 16, also known as 179 Oak Lane from Joel Martin for the purpose to construct, use, maintain and/or replace a public sidewalk and related infrastructure upon Grantor's Property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the governing body of the Township of Little Egg Harbor, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey as follows:

SECTION 1. That in accordance with the provisions of <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A: 12-5(a)(1), the governing body does hereby authorize the acquisition of a Permanent Easement, attached hereto and made a part hereof as Schedule A, and is subject to approval of form by the Township Attorney and the Township Engineer.

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SECTION 2. That the Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute any and all documents necessary for the acquisition of a Permanent Easement along a portion of Block 285.11, Lot 16, also known as 179 Oak Lane from Joel Martin.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this

ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions hereof.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect after second reading and publication

as required by law.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the foregoing ordinance was introduced and passed by the Township Committee on first reading at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Little Egg Harbor held on the 13th day of June, 2024, and will be considered for second and final passage at a meeting of the Township Committee to be held on the 11th day of July, 2024, at 7:30 p.m. at the Municipal Building located at 665 Radio Road, Little Egg Harbor, New Jersey, at which time and place any persons desiring to be heard upon the same will be given the opportunity to be so heard.

KELLY LETTERA, CMC, RMC Township Clerk Township of Little Egg Harbor

Blaise Scibetta, MAYOR

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