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RESOLUTION OF THE **MORRIS COUNTY IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZING** CHANGE AUTHORITY A ORDER TO PROCUREMENT AND CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT PROVIDING FOR CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN RECOMMENDED SERIES 2011 LOCAL UNIT PROJECTS IN FURTHERANCE OF THE COUNTY OF MORRIS GUARANTEED RENEWABLE ENERGY PROGRAM, SERIES 2011 AND CERTAIN OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO

WHEREAS, the Morris County Improvement Authority (including any successors and assigns, the "Authority") has been duly created by resolution duly adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders (the "Board of Chosen Freeholders") of the County of Morris (the "County") in the State of New Jersey (the "State") as a public body corporate and politic of the State pursuant to and in accordance with the county improvement authorities law, constituting Chapter 183 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1960 of the State, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto (the "Act"), and other applicable law; and

**WHEREAS**, the Authority, Sunlight General Morris Solar, LLC (the "Owner") and HESP Construction, LLC (the "Contractor" and, together with the Owner and the Authority, the "Parties") have entered into a Procurement and Construction Contract dated as of April 20, 2016 (the "EPC Contract"); and

**WHEREAS,** Article 8 of the EPC Contract permits Change Orders (as defined in the EPC Contract) at the request of the Owner, Authority and/or Contractor;

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the Township of Mount Olive has requested that the Parties consider the use of high visibility plastic construction safety fencing surrounding the Projects (as defined in the EPC Contract) located at Tinc School and Sandshore Elementary School, to further ensure the safety of students and parents during construction (the "Project Change"); and

WHEREAS, the Project Change will cost \$15,400.00 (the "Change Order Amount"); and

**WHEREAS,** the Authority Construction Monitor (as defined in the EPC Contract) has considered the Project Change and recommended that the Authority approve the Project Change; and

**WHEREAS**, the Authority has sufficient funds on deposit in the Project Fund (as defined in the EPC Contract) to provide for the original Contract Price (as defined in the EPC Contract), plus the Change Order Amount; and

**WHEREAS,** it is in the best interests of the Authority and the students, parents, faculty and staff of the Tinc School and Sandshore Elementary School to approve the Project Change.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Commissioners of the Authority as follows:

**Section 1.** The Project Change in an amount equal to the Change Order Amount is hereby approved. The Chairperson of the Authority (including his designees, each an "Authorized Officer"), is hereby authorized and directed, in consultation with counsel to the Authority, to execute and deliver a Change Order, in the form substantially as set forth in the EPC Contract, with such additions, modifications or deletions recommended by counsel to the Authority and agreed by the Parties. Any action taken by the Authorized Officer prior to the adoption of this resolution and consistent with this resolution, including execution of the Change Order and delivery of same to the Parties, is hereby ratified, confirmed and approved, as if such action were taken on or after the date hereof.

**Section 2.** Subject to the second sentence of this section, this resolution shall take effect immediately. In accordance with N.J.S.A. 40:37A-50, the Secretary of the Authority is hereby authorized and directed to submit to each member of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, by the end of the fifth business day following this meeting, a copy of the minutes of this meeting. The Secretary is hereby further authorized and directed to obtain from the Clerk of the Board of Chosen Freeholders a certification from the Clerk stating that the minutes of this meeting have not been vetoed by the Director of the Board of Chosen Freeholders.

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