

UNION COUNTY BOARD OF CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

ORDINANCE NUMBER: 8/0-2019DATE OF INTRODUCTION: 12/5/20/9DATE OF ADOPTION:

12/5/2019

BOND ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTIONS 4.I, 4.M AND 12 OF THE BOND ORDINANCE (ORD. NO. 776-2016) ENTITLED: "BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAKING OF VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AND THE ACQUISITION OF NEW ADDITIONAL OR REPLACEMENT EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY, NEW ADDITIONAL FURNISHINGS, NEW COMMUNICATION AND SIGNAL SYSTEMS EQUIPMENT, NEW INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT AND NEW AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES, INCLUDING ORIGINAL APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT, IN, BY AND FOR THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$58,933,154 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO APPROPRIATE STATE GRANTS, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS," ADOPTED ON AUGUST 18, 2016, AS PREVIOUSLY AMENDED BY BOND ORDINANCE NO. 805-2019 ADOPTED ON FEBRUARY 14, 2019.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, State of New Jersey, as follows:

INTRODUCTION					RECORD OF VOTE				FINAL ADOPTION						
FREEHOLDER	Aye	Nay	Abs	Pass	Ord.	Sec	NP	FREEHOLDER	Aye	Nay	Abs	Pass	Ord.	Sec	NP
ESTRADA							V	ESTRADA							<u> </u>
GARRETSON	V							GARRETSON							
GRANADOS	V							GRANADOS							
HUDAK	V					V		HUDAK							
PALMIERI-MOUDED	V							PALMIERHMOUDED							
STATEN	V							STATEN							
WILLIAMS	V							WILLIAMS							
MIRABELLA VICE CHAIRMAN	V				V			MIRABELLA VICE CHAIRMAN							
KOWALSKI CHAIR	1							KOWALSKI CHAIR							

	AS TO FORM ATTORNEY	I hereby certify the above is an original ordinance adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union on the aforementioned date.
		CLERK
NO SUFF	TCIENCY REQUIRED	I hereby certify this is a true copy of a ordinance adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union on the aforementioned date.
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Section 1. Section 4.I of Ordinance No. 776-2016 entitled:

"BOND ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE THE MAKING OF VARIOUS PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS AND THE ACQUISITION OF NEW ADDITIONAL OR REPLACEMENT **EQUIPMENT** AND MACHINERY, NEW ADDITIONAL FURNISHINGS, NEW COMMUNICATION AND SIGNAL SYSTEMS EQUIPMENT, NEW INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND **TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT** AND NEW AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES, INCLUDING ORIGINAL APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT, IN, BY AND FOR THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, TO APPROPRIATE THE SUM OF \$58,933,154 TO PAY THE COST THEREOF, TO APPROPRIATE STATE GRANTS, TO MAKE A DOWN PAYMENT, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS TO FINANCE SUCH APPROPRIATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES IN ANTICIPATION OF THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH BONDS."

adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, New Jersey (the "County") on August 18, 2016, as previously amended by Bond Ordinance No. 805-2019 adopted on February 14, 2019 (the "Prior Ordinance"), is hereby amended to: (A) change the purposes authorized from the construction of an animal shelter to (i) renovation of a portion of the Ralph Froehlich Public Safety Building located in Westfield for County dispatch and additional office space and (ii) additional funding for the construction and equipping of the Oak Ridge Park Sports Complex; (B) decrease the appropriation and estimated cost from \$5,150,000 to \$4,830,000 (a decrease of \$320,000); (C) decrease the down payment appropriated from \$257,500 to \$241,500 (a decrease of \$16,000); (D) decrease the bonds and notes authorized from \$4,892,500 to \$4,588,500 (a decrease of \$304,000); and (E) decrease the period of usefulness of the purposes authorized from 30 years to 15 years (a decrease of 15 years), and shall hereafter read as follows:

"[Section 4.] I. <u>Department of Public Safety</u>; <u>Department of Parks and Recreation</u> - (i) Renovation of a portion of the Ralph Froehlich Public Safety Building located in Westfield for County dispatch and additional office space (Department of Public Safety) and (ii) additional funding for the construction and equipping of the Oak Ridge Park Sports Complex (Department of Parks and Recreation). It is hereby determined and stated that said public buildings to be renovated or constructed are or will be of "Class B" or equivalent construction as defined in Section 22 of the Local Bond Law (Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the New Jersey Statutes Annotated, as amended; the "Local Bond Law").

\$ 4,830,000				
\$ 241,500				
\$ 4,588,500				
15 years."				

Section 2. Section 4.M of the Prior Ordinance is hereby amended to: (A) add the acquisition of new automotive vehicles, including original apparatus and equipment, to the purposes authorized; (B) increase the appropriation and estimated cost <u>from</u> \$591,010 to \$911,010 (an increase of \$320,000); (C) increase the down payment appropriated <u>from</u> \$29,551

to \$45,551 (an increase of \$16,000); and (D) increase the bonds and notes authorized from \$561,459 to \$865,459 (an increase of \$304,000); and shall hereafter read as follows:

"[Section 4.] M. <u>Department of Public Safety, Division of Police</u> - Acquisition of new additional or replacement equipment and machinery, new information technology and telecommunications equipment, new communication and signal systems equipment, and new automotive vehicles, including original apparatus and equipment, as set forth on a list on file with the Clerk of the Board of Chosen Freeholders and hereby approved and incorporated herein by this reference thereto.

Appropriation and Estimated Cost \$ 911,010

Down Payment Appropriated \$ 45,551

Bonds and Notes Authorized \$ 865,459

Period of Usefulness 5 years."

Section 3. Section 12 of the Prior Ordinance is hereby amended to decrease the average period of usefulness of the purposes authorized <u>from</u> 14.25 years to 12.58 years (a decrease of 1.67 years), and shall hereafter read as follows:

"Section 12. It is hereby determined and declared that the average period of usefulness of said purposes, according to their reasonable lives, taking into consideration the respective amounts of bonds or notes authorized for said purposes, is a period of 12.58 years computed from the date of said bonds."

Section 4. The capital budget is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency therewith and the resolutions promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing full detail of the amended capital budget and capital program as approved by the Director, Division of Local Government Services, is on file with the Clerk of the Board of Chosen Freeholders and is available for public inspection.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect twenty days after the first publication thereof after final passage.

NOTICE OF PENDING BOND ORDINANCE AND SUMMARY

The bond ordinance, the summary terms of which are included herein, was introduced and passed upon first reading at a meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, State of New Jersey, on December 5, 2019. It will be further considered for final passage, after public hearing thereon, at a meeting of said Board of Chosen Freeholders to be held at the County Administration Building, Elizabethtown Plaza, Elizabeth, New Jersey, on December 19, 2019 at 7:00 P.M. During the week prior to and up to and including the date of such meeting copies of the full ordinance will be available at no cost and during regular business hours, at the Clerk of the Board of Chosen Freeholders' office for the members of the general public who shall request the same. The summary of the terms of such bond ordinance follows:

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 $\underline{\text{Purpose}(s)}$: To make the following amendments to Bond Ordinance No. 776-2016 adopted on August 18, 2016, as previously amended by Bond Ordinance No. 805-2019 adopted on February 14, 2019:

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This Notice is published pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:2-17.

Clerk of the Board of Chosen Freeholders County of Union State of New Jersey

BOND ORDINANCE STATEMENT AND SUMMARY

The bond ordinance, the summary terms of which are included herein, has been finally adopted by the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, State of New Jersey on December 19, 2019 and the 20-day period of limitation within which a suit, action or proceeding questioning the validity of such ordinance can be commenced, as provided in the Local Bond Law, has begun to run from the date of the first publication of this statement. Copies of the full ordinance are available at no cost and during regular business hours, at the Clerk of the Board of Chosen Freeholders' office for members of the general public who request the same. The summary of the terms of such bond ordinance follows:

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