

## BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

## R-20-189

## A Resolution Increasing the Contract Amount for Special Counsel

**WHEREAS,** by way of Resolution 20-144, the Borough retained Ellen M. Horn, Esq. of the law firm of Ruderman & Roth, LLC to serve as Special Counsel to perform a workplace investigation; and

WHEREAS, by way of Resolution 20-144, the aforesaid Special Counsel was awarded a non-fair and open contract to provide such professional legal services for an amount not to exceed \$5,000 at the hourly rate of \$175 per hour; and

**WHEREAS**, there exists a need to increase the contract amount for an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, certification of availability of funds is hereby provided by the Chief Financial Officer of the Borough of Highlands;

Account Number: 0-01-20-155-000-294 Amount: Not to Exceed \$10,000

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**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Highlands that the Contract awarded to Ellen M. Horn, Esq. of Ruderman & Roth, LLC to provide professional legal services be and is hereby increased to an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Borough Clerk is hereby directed to publish notice of this award as required by law.

	INTRODUCED	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
BRASWELL		X	X			
MAZZOLA			X			
RYAN			X			
VALKOS			X			
BROULLON	X		X			

This is a Certified True copy of the Original Resolution on file in the Municipal Clerk's Office.

DATE OF VOTE: August 19, 2020

Michelle Hutchinson, Acting Municipal Clerk