## Resolution No. 2025-041

## Resolution Authorizing The Execution Of An Agreement To Provide For Curbside Collection, Transporting, and Marketing Of Recyclable Materials Between The Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority And The Borough Of Morris Plains Commencing On Or About January 1, 2026

WHEREAS, the provisions of the "New Jersey Statewide Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act," (<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 13:1E-99.11 et al.) (the "Act"), require every municipality in this State to provide for the source separation and recycling of marketable materials generated from residential premises within its jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Act, the Borough of Morris Plains ("Municipality" or "Township") has adopted and enforces a mandatory source separation ordinance for Recyclable Materials; and

WHEREAS, the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority ("MCMUA") desires to assist municipalities in meeting their recycling goals pursuant to the Act by providing curbside pick-up and a convenient outlet for disposal of recyclables; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Municipal and County Utilities Authority Law <u>N.J.S.A.</u> <u>40:14B-1</u> et seq., the MCMUA may enter into contracts with municipalities for the provision of recycling services; and

WHEREAS, the MCMUA is authorized as a local unit pursuant to the Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act, <u>N.J.S.A</u>. 40A:65-1 et seq., to enter into a contract with any other local unit to provide or receive any service that each local unit participating in the Agreement for the provision of any service which that local unit is empowered to render within its own jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, uniform shared services agreements may be awarded apart from the competitive bidding requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law, <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 40A:11-1 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the MCMUA and the Borough of Morris Plains desires to execute a new five (5) year agreement for curbside collection and marketing of recyclable materials commencing on January 1, 2026 and ending on December 31, 2030, and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority as follows:

- 1. The Executive Director of the MCMUA is hereby authorized and directed to execute said Agreement entitled "Agreement to Provide for the Curbside Collection, Transporting, and Marketing of Recyclable Materials Between the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority and the Borough of Morris Plains commencing on or about January 1, 2026."
- 2. This contract is awarded without competitive bidding pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-5(2) of the Local Public Contracts Law.

- 3. The Authority's staff and consultants are hereby authorized to take all other actions necessary or desirable to effectuate the terms and conditions of this Resolution.
- 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

## **CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Morris County Municipal

Utilities Authority at the Regular Meeting held on May 13, 2025.

## MORRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY

By:\_\_\_

Christopher Dour, Chairman

ATTEST:

Marilyn Regner, Secretary