

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-34

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF PHILLIPSBURG, COUNTY OF WARREN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH THE PREVENTION IS KEY, INC. FOR OPIOID-RELATED TREATMENT AND COUNSELING FOR THE RESIDENTS OF THE TOWN USING FUNDS FROM THE NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENT, NOT TO EXCEED \$286,000.00

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Office of Attorney General (“NJOAG”) has settled with two national opioid manufacturers, one being The Distributors Group (“DG”) and the other being Johnson & Johnson/Janssen, (“J&J”), yielding up to twenty-six billion dollars, with six hundred and twenty-eight million being allocated to the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Phillipsburg joined in that settlement and has started receiving payments from the settlement; and

WHEREAS, Prevention is Key, Inc. is an outpatient substance abuse treatment provider that has been providing outpatient substance abuse treatment locally in the Town of Phillipsburg, and in certain counties of the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, Prevention is Key, Inc. has offered to provide the services of opioid counseling and treatment for the residents of the Town of Phillipsburg; and

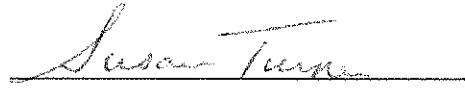
WHEREAS, the Town of Phillipsburg wishes to enter into Shared Services Agreement with Prevention is Key, Inc. so that the funds from the National Opioid Settlement Fund be disbursed to Prevention is Key, Inc. to provide the services authorized by the Settlement, in the amount not to exceed two hundred and eighty-six thousand dollars (\$286,000.00).

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town Council of the Town of Phillipsburg, County of Warren, State of New Jersey that

1. The Town is authorized to enter into this Shared Services Agreement with Prevention is Key, Inc. to provide eligible services under the “Opioid Settlement Fund,” in an amount not to exceed two hundred and eighty-six thousand dollars (\$286,000.00), as set forth in the subject Agreement; and
2. The Mayor, Town Administrator, and/or the Municipal Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the subject Agreement with Prevention is Key, Inc. and to take any other action necessary to effectuate the purposes of this Resolution; and
3. The execution of the subject Shared Services Agreement is contingent upon the certification of funds being available to finance and compensate Prevention is Key, Inc. for the provided services to the Town and its residents.

CERTIFICATION

I, Susan Turner, Acting Municipal Clerk for the Town of Phillipsburg, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution duly adopted by the Town Council at their February 12, 2025 meeting.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Susan Turner", is written over a solid horizontal line.

Susan Turner
Acting Municipal Clerk