

BOROUGH OF HILLSDALE
RESOLUTION 23004

**AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN
CONTRACT FOR AN ATTORNEY FOR TAX APPEALS**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Hillsdale has a need to retain An Attorney for Tax Appeals as a Non-Fair and Open contract pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 or 20.5; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Council has determined that the firm of Harwood Llyod, 130 Main Street, Hackensack, NJ 07601 will be the most advantageous to the Borough; and

WHEREAS, the firm of Harwood Llyod has completed and submitted a "Contribution Statement by Professional Business Entity" as required by Hillsdale Borough Ordinance No. 04-14, entitled, "An Ordinance Establishing a Borough Policy for the Awarding of Public Professional Service Contracts"; and Ordinance No. 11-19 "Amending Chapter 12, Contracts, Public Professional Service and Chapter 305, Contribution Disclosure Statements"

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Mayor and Borough Clerk are authorized to execute such contract with Harwood Llyod at the Attorney Rate of \$175.00 per hour and \$100.00 per hour for a Paralegal; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Hillsdale Borough Council hereby award a contract to the firm of Harwood Llyod through December 31, 2023 or until a successor is qualified or appointed.

CERTIFICATE OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

I, Sheryl A. Luna, Certified Municipal Financial Officer of the Borough of Hillsdale, hereby certify, pursuant to NJSA 40A:9-140.1, et seq. and NJAC 5:30.4, that the funds are available to the Borough of Hillsdale for calendar year 2023. Account # to be charged 3-01-20-155-116 (Subject to Budget approval)

Dated: January 4, 2023

Sheryl A. Luna
Sheryl A. Luna, CMFO

Council member	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Absent	Abstain	Recuse
DeRosa, Anthony	X		X				
Escobar, John			X				
Horvath, Zoltan			X				
Lundy, Abby		X				X	
Pizzella, Frank			X				
Trochimiuk, Janetta			X				
Ruocco, John							

Adopted: January 4, 2023 (Reorganization Meeting)

Attest: _____

Denise Kohan
Municipal Clerk

John J. Ruocco
Mayor