RESOLUTION 2017-217

RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE DETAILS OF THE SALE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, SERIES 2017, IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$406,134 OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BARNEGAT, IN THE COUNTY OF OCEAN, NEW JERSEY, TO THE NEW JERSEY ENVIRONMENTAL INFRASTRUCTURE TRUST PURSUANT TO THE NEW JERSEY ENVIRONMENTAL INFRASTRUCTURE TRUST FINANCING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Township of Barnegat (the "Local Unit"), in the County of Ocean, New Jersey, has determined that there exists a need within the Local Unit to acquire, construct, renovate or install the Project (the "Project") as defined in each of that certain Loan Agreement (the "Trust Loan Agreement") to be entered into by and between the Local Unit and the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust (the "Trust") and that certain Loan Agreement (the "Fund Loan Agreement", and together with the Trust Loan Agreement, the "Loan Agreements") to be entered into by and between the Local Unit and the State of New Jersey, acting by and through the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (the "State"), all pursuant to the SFY 2017 New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Financing Program (the "Program");

WHEREAS, the Local Unit has determined to finance the acquisition, construction, renovation or installation of the Project with the proceeds of a loan to be made by each of the Trust (the "Trust Loan") and the State (the "Fund Loan", and together with the Trust Loan, the "Loans") pursuant to the Trust Loan Agreement and the Fund Loan Agreement, respectively;

WHEREAS, to evidence the Loans, each of the Trust and the State require the Local Unit to authorize, execute, attest and deliver the Local Unit's General Obligation Bonds, Series 2017A, to the Trust in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$100,000 (the "Trust Loan Bond") and General Obligation Bonds, Series 2017B, to the State in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$306,136 (the "Fund Loan Bond", and together with the Trust Loan Bond, the "Local Unit Bonds") pursuant to the terms of the Local Bond Law of the State of New Jersey, constituting Chapter 2 of Title 40A of the Revised Statutes of the State of New Jersey (the "Local Bond Law"), other applicable law, the Loan Agreements and the Escrow Agreement dated March 28, 2017 (the "Escrow Agreement") by and among the Trust, the State, the Local Unit and the escrow agent named therein;

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:2-27(a) (2) of the Local Bond Law allows for the sale of the Trust Loan Bond and the Fund Loan Bond to the Trust and the State, respectively, without any public offering, and N.J.S.A. 58:11B-9(a) allows for the sale of the Trust Loan Bond to the Trust, without any public offering, all under the terms and conditions set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the terms of the Escrow Agreement, the Trust has sold its bonds to fund the Trust Loan, thereby enabling the Local Unit to confirm the exact aggregate principal amount of and debt service schedule for the Local Unit Bonds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the governing body of the Local Unit as follows:

Section 1. The sale of the Trust Loan Bond to the Trust and the Fund Loan Bond to the State is hereby confirmed. The Trust Loan Bond shall be released from escrow in accordance with the terms of the Escrow Agreement and thereby issued in accordance with the principal loan amount, interest rates and maturity schedule set forth in **Schedule A** attached hereto and made a part hereof. The Fund Loan Bond shall be released from escrow in accordance with the terms of the Escrow Agreement and thereby issued in accordance with the maturity schedule set forth in **Schedule B** attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Section 3. Upon the adoption hereof, the Local Unit Clerk shall forward certified copies of this resolution to Meghan Bennett Clark, Esq., GluckWalrath LLP, bond counsel to the Local Unit, and Richard T. Nolan, Esq., McCarter & English, LLP, bond counsel to the Trust.

Recorded Vote

AYE NAY ABSTAIN ABSENT

CERTIFICATE

I, Michele A. Rivers, Clerk of the Township of Barnegat, in the County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and compared copy of an original resolution now on file and of record in my office which was duly adopted at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Barnegat, on the 12th day of May, 2017.

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY that said Township Committee consists of five (5) members and that five (5) members thereof were present at said meeting and that five (5) members voted affirmatively for the adoption of said resolution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Township this 12th day of May, 2017.

Michele A. Rivers, Municipal Clerk

(SEAL)

SCHEDULE A

TRUST LOAN

SCHEDULE B

FUND LOAN