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Date: Feb 13, 2024 - 5:30 PM

Agenda: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A STORMWATER DRAIN CONNECTION PERMIT FOR A PROPOSED HOUSING DEVELOPMENT LOCATED AT 542 GOFFLE ROAD IN THE BOROUGH OF HAWTHORNE TO CONNECT NEW DRAINAGE STRUCTURES INTO THE EXISTING STORM DRAIN SYSTEM ALONG GOFFLE ROAD IN THE BOROUGH OF HAWTHORNE, PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40:20-1

THIS RESOLUTION WAS REQUESTED BY:
ENGINEERING

REVIEWED BY:

Matthew P. Jordan, Esq.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

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Official Resolution#	
Meeting Date	2/13/2024
Introduced Date	2/9/2024
Adopted Date	
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Public Works

COMMITTEE NAME

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WHEREAS, the County of Passaic (hereafter “County”) is a body politic and corporate pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:18-1 and vested with all rights contained therein; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:20-1 the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Passaic (hereafter “Board”) is vested with managing the property, finances, and affairs of the County; and

WHEREAS, the County has a policy which prohibits the connection of new stormwater drainage systems into existing stormwater drainage systems maintained by the County of Passaic without a permit authorized by the County Planning Board; and

WHEREAS, a storm drain connection permit, attached hereto and made a part hereof is required for County Planning Board as part of County Planning Board approval for Site Plan Application No. SP-21-048, has been made for the property located 542 Goffle Road (Block 9, Lot 9, and Block 89 Lots 1, 2.01, and 2.02) in the Borough of Hawthorne, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the storm drain connection permit application is to allow SPGM Hawthorne, LLC, developer of 542 Goffle Road in the Borough of Hawthorne to connect new storm water pipes and storm drain structures into the existing storm drain system along Goffle Road maintained by the County; and

WHEREAS, SPGM Hawthorne, LLC, shall hold the County of Passaic and its agents and employees harmless for any damages incurred as a result of the connection to the storm drain system; and

WHEREAS, this matter was discussed at the February 7, 2024 meeting of the Public Works Committee and is being recommended to the Board for approval; and

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:20-1, that the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Passaic authorizes the storm drain connection permit for SPGM Hawthorne, LLC, developer of 542 Goffle Road in the Borough of Hawthorne (Block 9, Lot 9, and Block 89 Lots 1, 2.01, and 2.02) to connect new storm water pipes and storm drain structures into the existing storm drain system along Goffle Road maintained by the County subject to the above-stated terms and conditions.

LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED, that the aforesaid storm drain connection permit is not to be considered a change of policy by the County of Passaic and future requests for storm drain connection permits shall be considered on a case-to-case basis.

LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED, the Director of the Board of County Commissioners, Clerk of the Board and County Counsel are hereby authorized to execute an Encroachment Agreement on behalf of Passaic County.