

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
MOUNT OLIVE AWARDING A CONTRACT TO AQUA PROTECH LABS
FOR WATER TESTING SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the Health Department and Water & Sewer Department are need of a water testing facility; and

WHEREAS, the Township duly advertised for bids on January 15, 2008 and bids were opened on January 27, 2008 and the following bid(s) were received and publicly opened:

**Aqua Protech Labs - \$8,515.00
Garden State Labs - \$9,665.00**

WHEREAS, the using Department Head / Staff and the Business Administrator have also reviewed the bids and recommended award to the lowest responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has provided a certification that the funds for this purchase are available.

WHEREAS, this contract has been advertised and awarded on a "fair and open basis" and nothing further shall be required under the Pay-to-Play legislation (N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7)

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, Morris County, that the bid from Aqua Protech Labs in the amount of \$8,515.00 in accordance the specifications dated January 15, 2008 is hereby accepted and the Mayor is authorized to execute the necessary contracts to implement this bid award.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this resolution be provided to the Township Business Administrator for implementation.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Russell Tepper, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on

Lisa M. Lashway, Township Clerk