Ord.#11-2020 An Ordinance of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, and State of New Jersey Authorizing the Acquisition of Block 7600, Lots 3-11 and 13-19, Consisting of Approximately 17.93 Acres in the Township of Mount Olive from Charles and Frances Zoccoli.

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Date: 4/29/2020	Time: 10:15 am
	Signed:  Township Clerk  Michelle Masser
MAYOR:	
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Approved:	Date: $4/29/20$
Vetoed:	Date:
(Reasons for which Mayor has withheld app	proval of Ordinance, item or part Thereof.)
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AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, COUNTY OF MORRIS, AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF BLOCK 7600, LOTS 3-11 AND 13-19, CONSISTING OF APPROXIMATELY 17.93 ACRES IN THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE FROM CHARLES AND FRANCES ZOCCOLI

**WHEREAS**, the Local Lands and Buildings Law, <u>N.J.S.A</u>. 40A:12-1, et seq., provides that a municipality may, by ordinance, provide for the acquisition of real property or an interest therein by purchase, gift, devise, lease, exchange; and

WHEREAS, Charles and Frances Zoccoli have agreed, subject to Council approval, to sell BLOCK 7600, LOTS 3-11 and 13-19, consisting of approximately 17.93 acres and commonly known as the "Turkey Brook Extension" to the Township; and

WHEREAS, the acquisition of this property is subject to the completion of a Phase I Environmental Analysis and receipt of grant funds from the Morris County Open Space and Farmland Preservation Trust Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive have determined that it is in the interest of the Township to acquire the said property for open space preservation purposes.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, and State of New Jersey, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** The Township of Mount Olive hereby authorizes the acquisition of BLOCK 7600, LOTS 3-11 and 13-19, consisting of approximately 17.93 acres and commonly known as the "Turkey Brook Extension" for open space purposes for the total sum of \$300,000.00, to be funded as follows:

Open Space Trust Fund of the Township of Mount Olive \$ 25,000 Morris County Open Space and Farmland Preservation Trust Fund \$275,000

**SECTION 2.** The said land to be conveyed to the Township of Mount Olive is described on the Contract for sale which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, and is subject to the completion of a Phase I Environmental Analysis and receipt of grant funds from the Morris County Open Space and Farmland Preservation Trust Fund.

**SECTION 3**. The Mayor and Township Clerk and all other proper officers and employees of the Township are hereby authorized and directed to take any and all steps necessary to effectuate the purposes of this ordinance.

**SECTION 4**. No debt is to be authorized by the enactment and passage of this ordinance.

**SECTION 5**. All ordinances of the Township of Mount Olive, which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

**SECTION 6**. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this ordinance.

**SECTION 7**. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

ATTEST:

Michelle Masser Township Clerk TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE COUNTY OF MORRIS STATE OF NEW JERSEY

By:

Rob Greenbaum, Mayor