ORDINANCE 28-13

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP ENGINEER TO RETAIN THE SERVICES OF A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER LICENSED BY THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY TO PREPARE DESIGN DRAWINGS, CONSTRUCTION PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND ON-SITE CONSTRUCTION OBSERVATION SERVICES IN UPGRADING THE EXISTING 60kW AND 100kW NATURAL GAS EMERGENCY GENERATORS LOCATED AT THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING AND POLICE HEADQUARTERS. **AUTHORIZING** THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF **ADDITIONAL** EQUIPMENT AND FURTHER APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$50.000.00 FROM THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND OF 2013 AND ALL PRIOR YEARS FOR THE FINANCING OF THE PROJECT DESCRIBED HEREIN

WHEREAS, both the Municipal Building and Police Headquarters wing have limited natural gas emergency generators with both generators not providing sufficient power to provide electricity during a prolonged power outage; and

WHEREAS, the 60kW natural gas emergency generator for the Municipal Building and the 100kW natural gas emergency generator for the Police Headquarters wing require upgrading and improvement in order to provide sufficient energy for lighting, computers, outlets and other equipment during a major power outage; and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the Township Committee to authorize the Township Engineer to retain the services of a professional engineer licensed by the State of New Jersey for the purpose of preparing design drawings, construction plans, specifications and on-site construction observation services to purchase and install additional wiring and equipment to upgrade the 60kW and 100kW natural gas emergency generators, and to authorize the Township Engineer to advertise for the receipt of sealed competitive bids to purchase and install additional wiring, circuit breakers, transfer switches and all related appurtenances for both generators.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey as follows:

<u>Section 1.</u> The Township Engineer is hereby authorized and directed to retain the services of a professional engineer, licensed by the State of New Jersey for the purpose of preparing design drawings, construction plans, specifications and on-site construction observation services related to the upgrading and improvements to the existing 60kW and 100kW natural gas emergency generators located in the Municipal Building and Police Headquarters wing.

Section 2. In accordance with the drawings, plans and specifications prepared by the licensed profession engineer, the Township Engineer is further authorized and directed to advertise for the receipt of sealed competitive bids pursuant to the Local Public Contracts Law at N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq. for the purchase and installation of additional wiring, circuit breakers, transfer switches and all necessary appurtenances in the upgrading and improvement of the existing 60kW and 100kW natural gas emergency generators located in the Municipal Building and Police Headquarters wing.

Section 3. For the financing of the engineering services and the purchase and installation of all equipment related to upgrading the generators described in Sections 1 and 2. above, there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$50,000.00 from the Capital Improvement Fund of 2013 and all prior years.

<u>Section 4.</u> The publication and advertisement costs associated with the hiring of a licensed professional engineer including the public notice to bidders shall be charged to this Ordinance.

<u>Section 5.</u> This Ordinance shall take effect in accordance with law.

TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER COUNTY OF MORRIS STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATE OF INTRODUCTION: August 8, 2013 DATE OF ADOPTION: September 12, 2013

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the foregoing Ordinance was submitted in writing at a meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Hanover, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, held on the 8th day of August, 2013, introduced and read by title and passed on first reading and the Governing Body will further consider the same for second reading and final passage thereof at a meeting to be held on the 12th day of September, 2013, at 8:30 o'clock in the evening prevailing time, at the Municipal Building, 1000 Route 10, Whippany, in said Township of Hanover, at which

time and place a public hearing will be held thereon by the Governing Body and all persons and citizens in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard concerning same.

JOSEPH A. GIORGIO, TOWNSHIP CLERK TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER COUNTY OF MORRIS STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: August 15, 2013