

May 6, 2025

BOROUGH OF BRADLEY BEACH

RESOLUTION 2025-178

AUTHORIZING THE USE OF OMNIA PARTNERS, FORMERLY KNOWN AS US COMMUNITIES NATIONAL COOPERATIVE

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2 authorizes contracting units, including the Borough of Bradley Beach, to make purchases and contract for services through the use of nationally recognized and accepted cooperative purchasing agreements that have been developed utilizing a competitive bidding process by another contracting unit within the State of New Jersey or within any other state; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Bradley Beach has determined that the use of cooperative purchasing agreements may result in significant cost savings and is desirous of joining and participating in a national cooperative called the Omnia Partners formerly known as US Communities National Cooperative; and

WHEREAS, Omnia Partners 840 Crescent Centre Drive, Franklin, TN 37067 is a private cooperative, complying with New Jersey Local Finance Notice 2012-10 by ensuring lead agency procurements are offered to the New Jersey region in accord with the mandates as described within the Local Finance Notice; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Bradley Beach desires to become a member of Omnia Partners for the purposes of purchasing goods and or services through a procurement process that is more efficient and provides a cost savings to the Town; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Committee of the Borough of Bradley Beach, being the governing body thereof, that the Borough of Bradley Beach be and hereby is authorized to join and become a member of the Omnia Partners National Cooperative 840 Crescent Centre Drive, Franklin, TN 37067; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor be and hereby is authorized to execute any agreement and the Clerk is authorized to attest to the signature of the Mayor on any agreement signed in connection with joining and participating in Omnia Partners National Cooperative; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Borough of Bradley Beach Qualified Purchasing Agent shall be responsible for ensuring that all goods and/or services procured through Omnia Partners comply with all laws of the State of New Jersey Local Public Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq., and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey.

Seconded by Councilperson _____ and adopted on roll call by the following vote:

	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Ms. DeNoble				
Ms. Greenblatt				
Mr. Nowicki				
Mr. Weber				
Mayor Gubitosi				

CERTIFICATION

I, Erica Kostyz, Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bradley Beach, Monmouth County, New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Governing Body at the May 6, 2025 Council Business Meeting.

Erica Kostyz, RMC, CMR
Municipal Clerk