HALFMOON TOWNSHIP CENTRE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-03

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING A SOLICITOR FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF HALFMOON, CENTRE COUNTY, AND ADOPTING THE TOWNSHIP SOLCITIOR FEE SCHEDULE

WHEREAS, there exists a need for a Solicitor in the Township of Halfmoon for the purposes of providing the Board of Supervisors of said Township with legal services and advice; and

WHEREAS, a conflict of interest exists or additional expertise may be required, there exists a need for a Special Counsel in the Township of Halfmoon for the purposes of providing the Board of Supervisors of said Township with legal services and advice.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Halfmoon Township Board of Supervisors, on the 2nd day of January 2024, as follows:

- 1. That the firm of McQuaide Blasko, Inc., 811 University Drive, State College, PA 16801-6624 is hereby appointed as Solicitor for the Township of Halfmoon.
- 2. That Thomas S. Schrack and Lauren E. Otto, Attorneys-at-Law, will be Principal Counsel for all legal matters.
- 3. That the firm of McQuaide Blasko, Inc. has submitted the following Fee Schedule for 2024:

| Classification | Rates |
|----------------|---------------|
| Shareholders | \$150.00/Hour |
| Associates | \$130.00/Hour |
| Paralegals | \$90.00/Hour |

- 4. That the firm of Salzmann Hughes, P.C., 79 Saint Paul Drive, Chambersburg, PA 17201, is hereby appointed as Special Counsel for the Township of Halfmoon.
- 5. That Zachary M. Rice, Attorney-at-Law, will be Special Counsel for all legal matters.
- 6. That the firm of Salzmann Hughes, P.C. has submitted the following Fee Schedule for 2024:

| Classification | Rates |
|---|--|
| Shareholders | \$191.00/Hour |
| Attorneys | \$170.00/Hour |
| Law Clerk/Paralegals/Project Manager | \$98.00/Hour |
| *Travel time to regular township meetings will be | at a discounted rate of \$85.00 per hour |

ATTEST:

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Secretary (SEAL)

FOR THE BOARD:

Chairpersor