

**TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF
CAPITAL ORDINANCE NO.
4519-26**

The capital ordinance, published in its entirety herewith, has been finally adopted by the Township Council of the Township of Franklin, in the County of Somerset, State of New Jersey (the “Township”) on September 22, 2026. During the week prior to and up to and including the date of such meeting, copies of the full ordinance will be available at no cost and during regular business hours at the Clerk’s office for the members of the general public who shall request the same.

The purpose of this capital ordinance is to appropriate the sum of \$1,380,000 from the Open Space Trust Fund held by the Township to provide for the construction of, various improvements to, and the acquisition of equipment for, Catalpa Park.

CAPITAL ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING \$1,380,000 FROM THE OPEN SPACE TRUST FUND TO PAY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF, IMPROVEMENTS TO, AND THE ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT FOR, CATALPA PARK IN THE TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN, IN THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN, IN THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET, STATE OF NEW JERSEY (a majority of the full membership thereof affirmatively concurring), AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.The capital improvements and purposes described in Section 2 of this capital ordinance are hereby authorized as general capital improvements and purposes to be undertaken by the Township of Franklin, in the County of Somerset, State of New Jersey (the “Township”). For the said improvements and purposes stated in Section 2 hereof, there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$1,380,000, which sum is now available in the Open Space Trust Fund of the Township from a previously adopted capital budget or temporary capital budget or budgets of the Township.

SECTION 2.The improvements and purposes hereby authorized are to provide for the construction of, various improvements to, and the acquisition of equipment for, Catalpa Park.

SECTION 3.The improvements and purposes authorized in Section 2 above shall also include, as applicable, all work, materials, equipment, engineering, design, architectural, environmental testing and remediation, consulting work, preparation of plans and specifications, permits, bid documents, conducting and preparation of reports and studies, equipment rental, labor and appurtenances necessary therefore or incidental thereto.

SECTION 4.The expenditure of \$1,380,000 from the Open Space Trust Fund for the improvements and purposes set forth in Section 2 hereof is hereby authorized and approved.

SECTION 5.The Township hereby certifies that it has adopted a capital budget or a temporary capital budget, as applicable. The capital budget or temporary capital budget, as applicable, of the Township is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency herewith. To the extent that the purposes authorized herein are inconsistent with the adopted capital

budget or temporary capital budget, as applicable, a revised capital budget or temporary capital budget has been filed with the Division of Local Government Services.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately after final adoption as described in, as applicable, N.J.S.A. 40:49-2 and N.J.S.A. 40:69A-181.

Ann Marie McCarthy, RMC, MMC
Township Clerk
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