TOWNSHIP OF UNION IN THE COUNTY OF UNION STATE OF NEW JERSEY

NOTICE OF SALE OF \$14,196,000 BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES, SERIES 2020

BOOK-ENTRY ONLY NON-CALLABLE

Proposals for the purchase of the above-captioned Bond Anticipation Notes (the "Notes") of the Township of Union, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey (the "Township") will be received by the Township, on **Thursday**, **January 23, 2020**, until 11:15 a.m. No proposals will be received after 11:15 a.m. A determination as to the award will be made by the Chief Financial Officer of the Township no later than 2:00 p.m. on that date. Proposals shall be on the Official Form of Proposal for Notes attached hereto. Proposals will be received by either (a) facsimile at (732) 726-6580), Attn: Lisa A. Gorab, Esq., Bond Counsel, (b) e-mail to Igorab@wilentz.com or (c) electronically via PARITY in the manner described below. The Township will accept proposals via e-mail that contain the information in bold on the attached Official Form of Proposal for Notes, including the purchase price, interest rate per annum, information regarding entity and informational items at the bottom.

The proceeds of the Notes will be used to temporarily finance various capital improvements, including paying the costs associated with the issuance of the Notes.

<u>Procedures Regarding Electronic Bidding.</u> Proposals may be submitted electronically via PARITY in accordance with this Notice of Sale, until 11:15 a.m., New Jersey time on January 23, 2020, but no proposal will be received after the time for receiving proposals specified above. To the extent any instructions or directions set forth in PARITY conflict with this Notice of Sale, the terms of this Notice of Sale shall control. For further information about PARITY, potential bidders may contact PARITY at (212) 849-5021. In the event that a proposal for the Notes is submitted via PARITY, the bidder further agrees that:

- 1. The Township may regard the electronic transmission of the proposal through PARITY (including information about the purchase price of the Notes, the interest rate or rates to be borne by the Notes and any other information included in such transmission) as though the same information was submitted on the Proposal for Notes provided by the Township and executed and submitted by a duly authorized representative of the bidder. If the proposal submitted electronically via PARITY is accepted by the Township, the terms of the proposal for the Notes and this Notice of Sale, as well as the information that is electronically transmitted through PARITY, shall form a contract and the Successful Bidder(s) shall be bound by the terms of such contract.
- 2. PARITY is not an agent of the Township, and the Township shall have no liability whatsoever based on any bidder's use of PARITY, including but not limited to any failure by PARITY to correctly or timely transmit information provided by the Township or information provided by the bidder.
- 3. The Township may choose to discontinue use of electronic bidding via PARITY by issuing a notification to such effect via Thomson News Service ("TM3") and/or PARITY no later than 3:00 p.m. (New Jersey time) on the last business date prior to January 23, 2020.
- 4. Once the proposals are communicated electronically via PARITY to the Township, as described above, each proposal will constitute a proposal for the Notes and shall be deemed to be an irrevocable offer to purchase the Notes on the terms provided in this Notice of Sale. For purposes of submitting proposals for the Notes electronically via PARITY, the time maintained on PARITY shall constitute the official time.
- 5. Each bidder shall be solely responsible for making necessary arrangements to access PARITY for purposes of submitting its proposal in a timely manner and in compliance with the requirements of this Notice of Sale. Neither the Township nor PARITY shall have any duty or obligation to provide or assure access to any bidder, and neither the Township nor PARITY shall be responsible for the proper operation of, or have any liability for any delays or interruptions of, or any damages caused by, PARITY. The Township is using PARITY as a communications mechanism, and not as the Township's agent, to conduct the electronic bidding for the Notes. By using PARITY, each bidder agrees to hold the Township harmless for any harm or damages caused to such bidder in connection with its use of PARITY for bidding on the Notes.

Each proposal must offer to purchase all of the Notes being offered at a price not less than par and must specify a single rate of interest offered for the Notes. Interest shall be calculated on the basis of twelve (12) thirty (30)-day months in a 360-day year. The Notes will be awarded to the entity on whose proposal the issuance thereof may be made at the lowest net interest cost. The Chief Financial Officer of the Township reserves the right to waive irregularities in any proposal, reject all proposals or to award the Notes to an entity other than the entity submitting the

lowest proposal. An entity, by submitting a proposal, agrees to accept the determination of the Chief Financial Officer of the Township.

The Notes will <u>not</u> be designated as qualified tax-exempt obligations for purposes of section 265(b)(3)(B)(ii) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

SPECIFICATIONS OF THE NOTES

Principal Amount: \$14,196,000 Bond Anticipation Notes, Series 2020

Dated: January 31, 2020

Maturity Date: January 29, 2021

Interest Rate Per Annum: Specified by the purchaser

Legal Opinion: Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer, P.A. ("Bond Counsel"), in substantially the form

set forth in Preliminary Official Statement (as defined herein)

Paying Agent: Township of Union, in the County Union, State of New Jersey

Closing:

a. Date: January 31, 2020

b. Location: Offices of Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer, P.A., located at 90 Woodbridge Center

Drive, Woodbridge, New Jersey 07095

Denominations: \$5,000 each or any integral multiple thereof, except that any Notes in excess

of the largest principal amount equaling a multiple of \$5,000 shall be in

denominations of \$1,000 or any integral multiple thereof

Payment: Wire transfer

Form of Notes: Book-Entry Only (The Depository Trust Company)

The Notes will be non-callable general obligations of the Township payable ultimately from *ad valorem* taxes levied upon all the taxable property within the Township without limitation as to rate or amount to the extent that payment is not otherwise provided.

The successful purchaser of the Notes shall be obligated to furnish to the Township within forty-eight (48) hours prior to the date of delivery of the Notes, a certificate ("Issue Price Certificate") satisfactory to Bond Counsel, if determined by Bond Counsel to be applicable, in substantially the proposed form of the Issue Price Certificate attached hereto as Exhibit A.

The request for the assignment of CUSIP identification numbers shall be the responsibility of NW Financial Group, LLC, Hoboken, New Jersey, the Municipal Advisor to the Township (the "Municipal Advisor"), and the CUSIP Service Bureau charge therefor shall be the responsibility of, and shall be paid for by, the purchaser. CUSIP numbers must be communicated to Bond Counsel within twenty-four (24) hours of the award of the Notes to have the CUSIP numbers printed on the Notes. Neither the failure to print such number on any Note nor any error with respect thereto shall constitute cause for a failure or refusal by the purchaser thereof to accept delivery of and make payment for the Notes in accordance with the terms of this Notice of Sale.

The Township has authorized the distribution of a Preliminary Official Statement (the "Preliminary Official Statement"), "deemed final" as of its date for purposes of Rule 15c2-12 (the "Rule") promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended and supplemented. The Preliminary Official Statement may be viewed electronically at www.MuniHub.com. Bidders may either (a) print out a copy of the Preliminary Official Statement on their own printer, or (b) at any time prior to 11:15 a.m. on January 23, 2020, elect to receive an electronic copy of the Preliminary Official Statement via electronic mail by calling the Township's bond counsel, Lisa A. Gorab, Esq., of Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer, P.A., 90 Woodbridge Center Drive, Woodbridge, New Jersey 07095 at (732) 855-6459. All Bidders must review the Preliminary Official Statement and by submitting a proposal will certify that they did so prior to submitting their proposal. Final Official Statements will be delivered to the purchaser of the Notes within the earlier of seven (7) business days following the award of the Notes or to accompany the purchaser's confirmations that request payment for the Notes, such Official Statement to be dated as of the date of the award of the Notes. The Successful Bidder will be furnished upon request, without cost, with a reasonable number of copies of the Official Statement. Neither the Township, the Bond Counsel nor Municipal Advisor is responsible to any Bidder for any defect or inaccuracy in the Preliminary Official Statement as it appears on www.MuniHub.com.

<u>/s/ Jennifer Semler</u> Jennifer Semler, Chief Financial Officer

Dated: January 16, 2020

OFFICIAL FORM OF PROPOSAL FOR NOTES

\$14,196,000 BOND ANTICIPATION NOTES, SERIES 2020

TOWNSHIP OF UNION IN THE COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: JANUARY 31, 2020 MATURING: JANUARY 29, 2021

BID DATE: JANUARY 23, 2020

VIA TELECOPY (732) 726-6580 OR E-MAIL LGORAB@WILENTZ.COM

Jennifer Semler Chief Financial Officer Township of Union Attn: Lisa A. Gorab

Dear Ms. Semler:	
hereof, we offer to purchase the Bond in such Notice in the aggregate pri	as of the Notice of Sale (the "Notice") which is made a part d Anticipation Notes, Series 2020 (the "Notes") described ncipal amount of \$14,196,000 at a purchase price of e Notes bear interest at the rate per annum of
	lame of Entity laking Proposal:
A	Address:
	authorized bignature:
N	lame:
<u>-</u> Р	Phone Number:
Please supply the following for inforr proposal:	mational purposes only and not as part of the foregoing
Gross Interest Payable on Notes	: \$
Less: Premium on the Notes (if	any): \$
Net Interest Cost:	\$
Net Interest Rate:	0
Reoffering Yield:	
Reoffering Price:	

EXHIBIT A

to the Notice of Sale for \$14,196,000 Bond Anticipation Notes, Series 2020

Form of Issue Price Certificate

January, 2020
Township of Union 1976 Morris Avenue Union, New Jersey 07083
Wilentz, Goldman & Spitzer, P.A. 90 Woodbridge Center Drive Woodbridge, New Jersey 07095
Re: Township of Union, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey \$14,196,000 Bond Anticipation Notes, Series 2020
Ladies and Gentlemen:
The undersigned, as a representative of the Underwriter of the \$14,196,000 aggregate principal amount of Bond Anticipation Notes, Series 2020 (the "Notes"), sold on the Sale Date (as hereinafter defined), dated and issued on the date hereof and maturing on January 29, 2021, of the Township of Union, in the County of Union, State of New Jersey (the "Issuer" or "Township"), hereby certifies as follows:
[1. [Alternate 1 - Bids Received From at Least 3 Underwriters.]
(a) As of the Sale Date, the reasonably expected initial offering price of the Notes to the Public by the undersigned is the price listed below (the "Expected Offering Price"). The Expected Offering Price is the price for the Notes used by the undersigned in formulating its bid to purchase the Notes.
(b) The undersigned was not given the opportunity to review other bids prior to submitting its bid.
(c) The bid submitted by the undersigned constituted a firm offer to purchase the Notes.
(d) Based on the Expected Offering Price, the offering price of the Notes to the Public is \$ (face amount of \$, plus original issue premium of \$).

EXPECTED

PRINCIPAL

		\$	%	%
2. The	yield on the No	otes is not less thai	າ%.]	
at least 10 which at le "Offering F	0% of Notes b east 10% of the Price". Based	oy closing] As of e Notes was sold t on the Offering Pr	the date of this certi o the Public is the p ice, the Offering Pri	isfied - Actual sale of ficate, the first price at rice listed below under ce of the Notes to the ginal issue premium of
MATURI ^T	Γ <u>Υ DATE</u>	PRINCIPAL <u>AMOUNT</u>	INTEREST RATE	OFFERING <u>PRICE</u>
		\$	%	%
2. The	Yield on the N	otes is not less tha	n%.]	
offered the Underwrite Maturity to the Notes and (ii) any member of agreement comply will Underwrite higher that Price of the	e Notes to the r agrees that (in any person at during the Hole of selling group of each broke the Hold-Ting the Offering the Notes to the	Public for purchase) it will neither offer a price that is highling Period for the agreement shall controlled any reter-dealer who is a phe-Offering-Price for the Note	se at the Offering Properties of the Foundation of the Foundation of the Foundation and agreement of the Foundation agreement to the retail distribution agreement to the retail distribution agreement to the Pursuant to the Offering-Price Mass during the Holding	Date, the Underwriter rice listed below. The Hold-The-Offering-Price g Price listed below for e-Offering-Price Rule") of each dealer who is a ment shall contain an tribution agreement, to such agreement, no turity at a price that is Period. The Offering of \$, plus
MATURIT	Y DATE	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT \$	INTEREST RATE %	OFFERING <u>PRICE</u> %
2. The	Yield on the N	otes is not less tha	n%.]	
		n addition to the ter nings therefor set		ne following terms used
[(a) in the char		Offering-Price Matu	rity" means the Matu	rity of the Notes listed

[(b) "Holding Period" means, with respect to a Hold-The-Offering-Price Maturity, the period starting on the Sale Date and ending on the earlier of (i) the close of the fifth business day after the Sale Date, or (ii) the date on which the Underwriter has

MATURITY DATE

<u>AMOUNT</u>

<u>INTEREST RATE</u> <u>OFFERING PRICE</u>

sold at least 10% of such Hold-The-Offering Price Maturity to the Public at a price that is no higher than the Offering Price for such Hold-The-Offering-Price Maturity.]

- (a) "Maturity" means Notes with the same credit and payment terms. Notes with different maturity dates, or Notes with the same maturity date but different stated interest rates, are treated as separate maturities.
- (b) "Public" means any person (including an individual, trust, estate, partnership, association, company, or corporation) other than an Underwriter or a related party to an Underwriter. The term "related party" for purposes of this certificate generally means any two or more persons who have greater than fifty percent (50%) common ownership, directly or indirectly.
- (c) "Sale Date" means the date in which the Notes were offered and sold to the Underwriter for the Maturity of the Notes. The Sale Date of the Notes is January 23, 2020.
- (d) "Underwriter" means ______ and (i) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Issuer (or with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate) to participate in the initial sale of the Notes to the Public, and (ii) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (i) of this paragraph to participate in the initial sale of the Notes to the Public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Notes to the Public).
- (e) "Yield" means the discount rate which, when used in computing the present value of the expected issue payments (principal and interest components, qualified guarantee payments, and the retirement price) to be paid on the Notes, produces an amount equal to the issue price of the Notes as of the date hereof.

The representations set forth in this certificate are limited to factual matters only. Nothing in this certificate represents the undersigned's interpretation of any laws, including specifically Sections 103 and 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the Treasury Regulations thereunder. The undersigned understands that the foregoing information will be relied upon by the Issuer with respect to compliance with the federal income tax rules affecting the Notes, and by bond counsel in connection with rendering its opinion that the interest on the Notes is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, the preparation of the Internal Revenue Service Form 8038-G, and other federal income tax advice that it may give to the Issuer from time to time relating to the Notes.

Very truly yours,	
	[UNDERWRITER]
Ву:	
Name:	
Title	