**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-8.5
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

**DECLARING AN EMERGENCY – FOR PURPOSES OF AWARDING CONTRACTS FOR THE IMMEDIATE REPAIR OF SINKS HOLES ON BOROUGH ROADS**

**WHEREAS,** the Governing Body (“Governing Body”) of the Borough of Bloomingdale (“Borough”) finds and declares an emergency situation has developed concerning sinkholes on Borough roadways; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governing Body further finds and declares this of an emergent nature affecting the public health, safety and/or welfare and warrants immediate remedial action; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governing Body further finds and declares that **N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6** authorizes emergency contracts whereas the municipality may negotiate and/or award a contract without public advertisement when an emergency affecting the public health, safety or welfare requires the immediate delivery of goods or the performance of services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Works Department, acting in the reasonable belief, identifies that an emergency described herein exits which requires immediate remedial action & the need for invoking **N.J.S.A. 40A:11-6 Emergency Contracts**; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governing Body further finds and declares that the Public Works Department, has correctly recommended that the aforementioned repairs be remedied through the emergency award of contract to the following:

**L Becker & Sons Inc**

**WHEREAS**, the emergency costs are not to exceed $7,000.00 and the CFO has certified the availability of funds;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale does hereby declare the existence of a public emergency warranting the immediate remediation through emergency contract awards to **L. Becker & Sons Inc.** The contract(s) are hereby awarded as necessary to respond to the emergent needs described herein.