



BOROUGH OF HIGHLANDS  
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

## **RESOLUTION 24-109**

### **APPROVING AND SUPPORTING THE ROAR ON THE RIVER EVENT HOSTED BY THE HIGHLANDS BUSINESS PARTNERSHIP, INC.**

**WHEREAS**, the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. has requested that the Borough of Highlands approve and support its Roar on the River event to be held on May 17, 18 and 19, 2024. The event will include an offshore power boat race on Sunday, May 19, 2024, with additional events held throughout the streets and parks in the Borough of Highlands on Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024; and

**WHEREAS**, in addition to the power boat race, the event will include parades, block parties, autograph sessions and meet and greets; and

**WHEREAS**, the events will draw families to the area and is important for the economic development and tourism of the Borough of Highlands; and

**WHEREAS**, the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. will coordinate the logistics for all events with the Borough's Police Chief, Administrator and department heads; and

**WHEREAS**, the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. has submitted a Coast Guard Permit Application which is pending approval; and

**WHEREAS**, the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. shall be required to clean up the streets and parks after the events end and to restore them to the same condition as they were before the events; and

**WHEREAS**, the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. will be responsible for covering any costs of the Department of Public Works and/or for the use of the Borough's Police; and

**WHEREAS**, the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. shall execute a Hold Harmless Agreement in favor of the Borough.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Borough Council of the Borough of Highlands that it hereby approves and supports the Roar on the River event which includes an offshore power boat race on Sunday, May 19, 2024, with additional events to be held on Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> and Saturday May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024 throughout the streets and parks in the Borough of Highlands.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. shall coordinate the logistics for all events with the Borough's Police Chief, Administrator and department heads.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. shall be required to clean up the streets and parks after the events end and to restore them to the same condition as they were before the events.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. will be responsible for covering any costs of the Department of Public Works and/or for the use of the Borough’s Police.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Highlands Business Partnership, Inc. shall execute a Hold Harmless Agreement in favor of the Borough: and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Borough Administrator be and is hereby authorized to undertake such acts as are reasonable and necessary to accomplish the purpose of this Resolution, including executing a Hold Harmless Agreement in favor of the Borough.

Motion to Approve R 24-109:

	INTRODUCED	SECOND	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
CERVANTES						
CHELAK						
MELNYK						
OLSZEWSKI						
BROULLON						

This is a Certified True copy of the Original Resolution on file in the Municipal Clerk’s Office.

DATE OF VOTE: May 1, 2024

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Nancy Tran, Municipal Clerk  
Borough of Highlands