

RESOLUTION NO. 24-

**TOWNSHIP OF MIDDLETOWN
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**

Resolution Appointing Municipal Public Defender

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2B:24-3 there exists a need to appoint a qualified attorney as Municipal Public Defender for the Township; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Local Finance Notice 2005-32, such salaried appointed positions are not subject to the Fair and Open Process.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Middletown in the County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey that Stanley Wersé, Esq. is hereby appointed Municipal Public Defender for the Township of Middletown for 2024 to be compensated pursuant to the Township's applicable salary ordinance and at an hourly rate specified by ordinance for matters in the Superior Court that may be reimbursed by individuals utilizing the services of the Public Defender.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that notice of this appointment shall be published by the Township Clerk in the Township's official newspaper.