BOROUGH OF TINTON FALLS **R-26-187**
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH THE BOROUGH OF EATONTOWN FOR THE SHARED USE OF MUNICIPAL COURT IN TINTON FALLS

WHEREAS, the Shared Services and Consolidation Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 *et seq*., authorizes municipalities to enter into shared services agreements with other public entities to provide or receive services that the local unit participating in the agreement is empowered to provide or receive; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-5 requires such agreements to be authorized by the adoption of a Resolution; and

WHEREAS, the provisions of N.J.S.A. 2B:12-1 allows two or more municipalities to provide for courtrooms, chambers, equipment, supplies and employees for their municipal courts and to agree to appoint the same person to serve as a Certified Court Administrator without establishing a joint municipal court; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Tinton Falls previously entered into a Shared Services Agreement with the Borough of Eatontown, dated July 12, 2022, for the provision of municipal court services for a five-year term from August 1, 2022 through December 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Eatontown has requested that it be allowed to continue to utilize the Tinton Falls Municipal Court Facilities and administrative staff, subject to the approval of the Assignment Judge of the County of Monmouth, as of the effective date of the new Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Administrator and Director of Law have jointly recommended the Shared Services Agreement to the Borough Council and believe it to be in the best interest of the Borough and cost effective to continue to allow Eatontown to utilize the Tinton Falls Municipal Court Facilities and administrative staff, subject to the terms and conditions in the new Shared Services Agreement for Municipal Court Services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Tinton Falls, as follows:

1. The Borough hereby authorizes the Mayor to execute the Shared Services Agreement for Municipal Court Services with the Borough of Eatontown, in the form attached hereto, to become effect as of January 1, 2027.

2. A certified copy of this Resolution shall be provided to: the Borough Clerk of Eatontown, the Tinton Falls Municipal Court Administrator, the Tinton Falls Chief Financial Officer and the Tinton Falls Director of Law.

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Michael J. Nesci, Council President

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BOROUGH OF TINTON FALLS COUNCIL

Council Member	Moved	Second	Ayes	Nays	Absent	Abstain
Mr. Alessi						
Ms. Buckley						
Mr. Clayton						
Mr. Neis						
Mr. Nesci						

CERTIFICATION

I, Michelle Hutchinson, Borough Clerk of the Borough of Tinton Falls, hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Tinton Falls Borough Council at their meeting held November 10, 2026.

WITNESS, my hand and the seal of the Borough of Tinton Falls this 10th day of November 2026.

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Michelle Hutchinson
Borough Clerk