MARCH 29, 2022 SPECIAL MEETING

The Special Meeting of the Hope Township Committee convened at 2:00 P.M. at the Hope Township Municipal Building with the following members present: Mayor Timothy McDonough, Deputy Mayor Christopher John Kruk, and CommitteemanTerry Urfer. Also present was the Municipal Clerk, Robin Keggan.

FLAG SALUTE AND SUNSHINE STATEMENT

Under the provisions of the "Open Public Meetings Act", adequate notice of this meeting has been provided by publishing notice in the Express Times New Jersey edition and the New Jersey Herald and by posting notices in the Hope Post Office and on the Township Web and Bulletin Boards.

Roll call: Mr. Urfer- present Mr. Kruk – present Mayor McDonough- present

RESOLUTIONS:

2022-27

TOWNSHIP OF HOPE, COUNTY OF WARREN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY SPECIAL ITEMS OF GENERAL REVENUE ANTICIPATED WITH PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT OF DIRECTOR OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES – INTERLOCAL MUNICIPAL SERVICE AGREEMENTS OFFSET WITH APPROPRIATIONS

RESOLUTION 2022-27

WHEREAS, the 2022 Local Municipal Budget was introduced on the 29th day of March 2022; and,

WHEREAS, during the fiscal year 2022 the Township of Hope will receive revenue for Inter Local Agreements in the amount of \$102,264.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that petition be made herewith to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services that the 2022 Local Municipal Budget include a special item of revenue under the heading of "Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services- Interlocal Municipal Service Agreements Offset With Appropriations:

North Warren Municipal Court Revenue \$ 102,264

\$ 102,264

Motion: Mr. Urfer

Second: Mr. Kruk

Committee Polled: Kruk - yes Urfer - yes McDonough - yes

TOWNSHIP OF HOPE, COUNTY OF WARREN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY SPECIAL ITEMS OF GENERAL REVENUE ANTICIPATED WITH PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT OF DIRECTOR OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES – PUBLIC AND PRIVATE REVENUES OFFSET WITH APPROPRIATIONS RESOLUTION 2022-28

WHEREAS, the 2022 Local Municipal Budget was introduced on the 29th day of March 2022; and,

WHEREAS, during the fiscal year 2022 the Township of Hope has been allocated a state grant for various programs in the amount of \$386,739.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that petition be made herewith to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services that the 2022 Local Municipal Budget include a special item of revenue under the heading of "Special Items of General Revenue Anticipated with Prior Written Consent of Director of Local Government Services-Public and Private Revenues Offset with Appropriations"

Drunk Driving Enforcement	\$ 2,272.00
NJ DOT Grant – Hissim Road Sec 1.	141,000.00
NJ DOT Grant – Hissim Road Sec 2.	139,000.00
American Rescue Plan	97,185.00
Clean Communities	7,282.00

\$ 386,739.00

Motion: Mr. Urfer

Second: Mr. Kruk

Committee Polled: Kruk - yes Urfer - yes McDonough - yes

2022-29

TOWNSHIP OF HOPE, COUNTY OF WARREN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY 2022 HOPE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUDGET RESOLUTION 2022-29

WHEREAS, the Township of Hope is holding a meeting on March 29, 2022, for the purpose of introducing the 2022 Municipal Budget and conducting other matters; and,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Hope, Warren County, New Jersey, that the Township of Hope hereby petitions the Director of the Division of Local Government Services that the 2022 Local Municipal Budget be introduced and approved on March 29, 2022.

2022 HOPE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUDGET

Total Miscellaneous revenue Receipts from Delinquent Taxes Local Property Taxes Total General Revenues		712,523.00 25,000.00 <u>837,167.00</u> \$ <u>1,820,852.00</u>
Salaries and Wages Total Operations Capital Improvements		\$ 537,352.00 754,413.00 385,000.00
Reserve for Delinquent Taxes Total 2022 Municipal Budget		144,087.00 \$1,820,852.00
Municipal Tax Rate	(Estimated)	\$ 0.38079

Motion: Mr. Urfer

Second: Mr. Kruk

Committee Polled: Kruk - yes Urfer - yes McDonough - yes

2022-30

TOWNSHIP OF HOPE, COUNTY OF WARREN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY OPEN SPACE TAX FOR YEAR 2022 RESOLUTION 2022-30

WHEREAS, the provisions of the Township of Hope's open space ordinance allows the township committee to set the open space tax rate annually within a specified range; and,

WHEREAS, the township committee desires to set municipal open space tax rate at \$0.0125 per \$100 of assessed valuation for the 2022 calendar year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Hope that election be made to set the municipal open space tax rate at **\$0.0125** per \$100 of assessed valuation for the 2022 calendar year.

On Motion by Mr. Urfer and seconded by Mr. Kruk the aforenoted **Resolution 2022-30** be adopted as read.

Roll Call Vote: Kruk - yes Urfer - yes McDonough - yes

Before the meeting was adjourned, the Committee decided that the Annual Hope Township Fishing Derby will resume this year. It is slated to be held on May 28, 2022.

Seeing there was no other business for tonight, this meeting of the Hope Township Committee was adjourned at 2:20 p.m. on a motion made by Mr. Urfer; seconded by Mr. Kruk. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Robin L. Keggan, RMC