Township Council
1 Municipal Plaza
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Louise M. Palagano
Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 08/11/25 06:30 PM

2025 RESOLUTION APPROVAL   R25 346

RESOLUTION: AUTHORIZING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE TOWNSHIP OF BLOOMFIELD AND THE COUNTY OF ESSEX FOR THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS AND EQUIPMENT ON TRAFFIC SIGNALS AND ESSEX COUNTY RIGHTS OF WAY

WHEREAS, the Township of Bloomfield (the "Township") wishes to install and maintain surveillance cameras and equipment on traffic signals and within Essex County rights of way; and

WHEREAS, Essex County requires that the Township of Bloomfield submit a certified copy of a resolution approved by the Mayor and Council indicating that the Township will hold Essex County harmless from any claims or actions at law directly resulting from the installation and maintenance of said surveillance cameras and equipment; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the Township of Bloomfield, County of Essex, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The Township of Bloomfield Mayor and Council supports the efforts of the Bloomfield Police Department and authorized contractors to install and maintain surveillance cameras and equipment on traffic signals and within Essex County rights of way.

2. The Mayor, Township Administrator and Police Chief are hereby authorized to execute on behalf of the Township of Bloomfield a Memorandum of Understanding including a Hold Harmless and Indemnification Agreement with Essex County providing for indemnification of Essex County for any claims directly arising from Township's use of Essex County traffic signals and Essex County rights of way for the purposed of installing and maintaining surveillance cameras and equipment.

3. A copy of this Resolution and executed Memorandum of Understanding with Hold Harmless and Indemnification Agreement shall be filed in the Office of the Municipal Clerk and the Police Chief.

4.   This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon final passage according to law.

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Approved as to form and procedure on basis of facts set forth.

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Director of Law-Township Attorney

Ramon E. Rivera Esq.

I do hereby certify that the funding will be legally appropriated per the above information for the purpose specified in the attached contract. Furthermore, it has been represented to me that the contracts have been processed in accordance with the applicable provisions of New Jersey Local Public Contract Law and the Code of the Township of Bloomfield.

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Chief Financial Officer

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly adopted by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield at a meeting of said Township Council held on August 11, 2025.

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Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield

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Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

✓ Vote Record – Resolution		Yes/Aye	No/Nay	Abstain	Absent
☐ Adopt ☐ Deny					
☐ Withdrawn	Rosalee Gonzalez	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Table	Nicholas Joanow	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Not Discussed					
☐ First Reading	Sarah Cruz	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Table with no Vote	Monica Charris Tabares	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Approve					
☐ Veto by Mayor	Wartyna Davis	☐	☐	☐	☑
☐ Discussion	Widney Polynice	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Defeated					
☐ Discussion No Vote	Jenny Mundell	☑	☐	☐	☐