Township Council
1 Municipal Plaza
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Louise M. Palagano
Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 09/26/16 07:00 PM

2016 RESOLUTION GRANT AGREEMENTS

Supporting the Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over 2016 Statewide Crackdown

WHEREAS, approximately one-third of all fatal traffic crashes in the United States involve drunk drivers; and

WHEREAS, impaired driving crashes cost the United States almost $50 Billion a year; and

WHEREAS, 27% of motor vehicle fatalities in New Jersey in 2013 (the last year for which complete data is available) were alcohol-related; and

WHEREAS, an enforcement crackdown is planned to combat impaired driving; and

WHEREAS, the summer season and the Labor Day holiday in particular are traditionally times of social gatherings which include alcohol; and
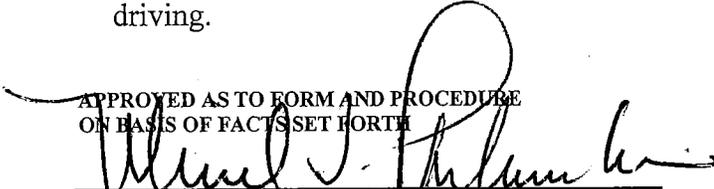
WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey, Division of Highway Traffic Safety, has asked law enforcement agencies throughout the state to participate in the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over 2016 Statewide Crackdown*; and

WHEREAS, the project will involve increased impaired driving enforcement from August 19 through September 5, 2016; and

WHEREAS, an increase in impaired driving enforcement and a reduction in impaired driving will save lives on our roadways;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IS RESOLVED, that the Township of Bloomfield declares it's support for the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over 2016 Statewide Crackdown* from August 19 through September 5, 2016 and pledges to increase awareness of the dangers of drinking and driving.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND PROCEDURE
ON BASIS OF FACTS SET FORTH

DIRECTOR OF LAW-TOWNSHIP ATTORNEY

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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 September 26, 2016.

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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□ Withdrawn	Elias N. Chalet	☑	□	□	□
□ Table □ Not Discussed	Nicholas Joanow	☑	□	□	□
□ First Reading	Carlos Bernard	□	□	□	☑
□ Table with no Vote	Wartyna Davis	☑	□	□	□
□ Approve □ Veto by Mayor	Joseph Lopez	□	□	□	☑
□ Discussion	Carlos Pomares	☑	□	□	□
□ Defeated □ Discussion No Vote	Michael J. Venezia	☑	□	□	□