## FREEHOLD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS DISTRICT NO. 2

## RESOLUTION REQUIRING BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS OF MEMBERS OF EAST FREEHOLD FIRE COMPANY

Commissioner ALLEN offered the following Resolution and moved its adoption which was seconded by Commissioner Palvering

WHEREAS, the Freehold Township Board of Fire Commissioners District No. 2 (hereinafter at times the "Board") has determined that is in the best interests of the Board, East Freehold Fire Company (hereinafter at times "EFFC") and the residents of Freehold Fire District No. 2 that all members and applicants for membership in EFFC are required to submit to background investigations, including, but not limited to, fingerprinting and driving and criminal records; and

WHEREAS, the Board is the supervising authority of the EFFC pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:14-70.1 et seq., N.J.S.A. 40A:14-81, and N.J.S.A. 40A:14-81.3.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Freehold Township Board of Fire Commissioners District No. 2 as follows:

1. Within 60 days of the effective date of this Resolution each current active and inactive member of EFFC shall submit to the Board's designated agent such information as may be requested by the agent, which shall include, but not be limited to, full legal name, current address, date of birth, Social Security Number and drivers license number; and each member shall contact the Freehold Township Chief of Police's designee

(hereinafter at times the "Freehold Police") and submit to fingerprinting at the time and place fixed by the Freehold Police. Each member shall also authorize the Freehold Police to conduct such background investigations as they deem necessary for consideration of the member's suitability to serve as a fireman. The Freehold Police shall, without disclosing confidential information, report to the Board's designated agent whether the results of the background investigations were positive or negative.

- 2. Any member who is notified that the results were negative shall have the right within 14 days of notice of the negative results to request a meeting to be scheduled within 10 days with the Board's agent to explain why the results should not prevent the member from serving as a fireman.
- Commencing on the effective date of this Resolution all applicants to become members of EFFC shall submit to background investigations and follow the procedures set forth in this Resolution.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the effective date of this Resolution shall be January 1, 2016.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the President and Chief of EFFC.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board hereby appoints the

President and Chief of EFFC as the Board's agents for the administration and enforcement of the within background investigation policy.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution certified to be a true copy is to be retained in the permanent files of the Board.

ROLL CALL	Yes	<u>No</u>
Gregory Brass Dennis Polo Samuel Polverino David Goldstein Jeffrey Allen	× × × ×	
ABSENT: ABSTAINED: DISQUALIFIED:	0 0 0	

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution which was adopted by the Freehold Township Board of Fire Commissioners District No. 2 at its meeting on December 15, 2015.

Gregory Brass

Chairman

Freehold Township

**Board of Fire Commissioners** 

12/15/15

Date

District No. 2