

Township of Shrewsbury

Resolution #2020-85

AUTHORIZE PARTICIPATION IN THE MONMOUTH COUNTY MUNICIPAL CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUND PROGRAM REIMBURSEMENT AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, the United States of America, the State of New Jersey, County of Monmouth and the Municipality have become victims of the COVID-19 Virus and Pandemic (the "Coronavirus"); and

WHEREAS, the Coronavirus has caused economic damage and hardships to states, counties and municipalities throughout the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, on March 27, 2020 the Coronavirus Aid Relief and Economic Security Act (the "CARES Act") was signed by President Donald J. Trump; and

WHEREAS, the CARES Act was enacted, among other purposes, in order to combat the economic damage caused to states, counties and municipalities because of the Coronavirus; and

WHEREAS, Monmouth County has received CARES Act funds from the United States Treasury (the "Stimulus Funds") to be used to reimburse Monmouth County due to economic damage caused to them by the Coronavirus; and

WHEREAS, as the recipient of the "Stimulus Funds" it will be the responsibility of Monmouth County to disburse the Stimulus Funds to eligible recipients in accordance with the terms and provisions of the CARES Act and any guidelines or regulations issued by United States government or any of its agencies and/or departments; and

WHEREAS, the Freeholders have determined that it is in the best interest of the citizens of Monmouth County to dedicate a share of the funding to reimburse municipalities for COVID-19 related costs and expenses under the Municipal Coronavirus Relief Fund Program; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Township of Shrewsbury to enter into such an agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Shrewsbury authorize participation in the aforementioned agreement.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute documentation for the same.

Name	Motion	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Lettice	X		X			
Jennings		X	X			
Puhak						X

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of the resolution adopted by the Township Committee at the Meeting held on July 14, 2020.

Pamela Howard, RMC,CMR
Municipal Clerk

Lester Jennings
Deputy Mayor