

COMMITTEEMEMBER \_\_\_\_\_ Puhak \_\_\_\_\_ OFFERED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION AND MOVED ITS ADOPTION:

**RESOLUTION 2017-15**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SERVICE CHARGES FOR RETURNED CHECKS**

WHEREAS, P.L. 1990, Chapter 105, supplementing Title 40 of the New Jersey State Revised Statutes has been enacted to allow a municipality the authority to impose a service charge to be added on an account which was by check or other written instrument returned for insufficient funds; and

WHEREAS, whenever an account is owing a municipality for a tax or special assessment, the service charge authorized by this section shall be included on whatever list of delinquent accounts is prepared for the enforcement of the lien.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Shrewsbury, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, that the Tax Collector be authorized to charge the aforementioned fee at a rate of \$20.00 per check or other written instrument for all checks returned for insufficient funds during 2017; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Tax Collector may require future payments to be tendered in cash or by certified or cashier's check; and

BE IF FINALLY RESOLVED, that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Township Treasurer, Tax Collector and Township Auditor.

Seconded by Committeemember \_\_\_\_\_ Nolan \_\_\_\_\_ and adopted on roll call by the following vote:

Name	Motion	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Bailly			x			
Puhak	x		x			
Nolan		x	x			

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of the resolution adopted by the Township Committee at the Meeting held on January 1, 2017.

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Suzanne M. Veitengruber, RMC, CMFO  
Municipal Clerk

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Edward P. Nolan  
Mayor