

**TOWNSHIP OF RARITAN
COUNTY OF HUNTERDON, NEW JERSEY**

RESOLUTION #20-26

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING A MONTH TO MONTH AGREEMENT WITH THE
BOROUGH OF HAMPTON FOR SHARED COURT SERVICES**

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1, et seq., any municipality of the State of New Jersey may contract with any other municipality or municipalities for the joint provision within their several jurisdictions of any service that any party to the agreement is empowered to provide within its own jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 2B:12-1(c), two (2) or more municipalities, by ordinance or resolution, may agree to jointly share services for courtrooms, chambers, equipment, supplies, and employees for their municipal courts and agree to appoint the same employees including, but not limited to, municipal judges, court administrators, prosecutors, public defenders and security personnel without establishing a joint municipal court; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Raritan ("Township") and the Borough of Hampton ("Hampton") previously entered into a Shared Services Agreement to establish all obligations in connection with the use of shared court facilities and court staff, provide for shared court sessions and the performance of all Borough court functions which expired on December 31, 2019; and

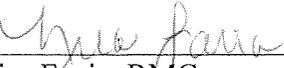
WHEREAS, the Borough and Township now wish to enter into a short term, month to month agreement beginning on January 1, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Raritan, County of Hunterdon, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein as if set forth in full.
2. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute two (2) copies of the shared services agreement in the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A."
3. The Township Clerk is hereby directed to forward executed copies of the agreement to the clerk of the Borough of Hampton.
4. The Township Clerk shall send an informational copy of the executed agreement and this resolution to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs.
5. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF RARITAN



Lisa Fania, RMC
Township Clerk



Jeff Kuhl
Mayor

CERTIFICATION

I, Lisa Fania, Clerk of the Township of Raritan, County of Hunterdon, State of New Jersey, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true, complete and accurate copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Raritan at a meeting held on January 3, 2020.



Lisa Fania, RMC
Township Clerk