

**MANSFIELD TOWNSHIP
BURLINGTON COUNTY**

RESOLUTION 2014-5-5

**RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE MASTER INTERLOCAL SERVICE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF BURLINGTON AND THE TOWNSHIP OF
MANSFIELD FOR THE INTEGRATED LAW ENFORCEMENT COMPUTER
PROJECT**

WHEREAS, the Burlington County Prosecutor's Office in cooperation with the Burlington County Police Chief's Association applied for and received a \$2,717,746.00 Federal Grant from the U.S. Department of Justice under the provisions of the 1995 Community Oriented Policing Services-Making Officer Redeployment Effective (COPS-MORE) program; and

WHEREAS, as a requirement of receipt of the COPS-MORE grant certain local matches were required of the Burlington County Board of Chosen Freeholders (\$604,420.00), the Burlington County Prosecutor's office (\$450,000.00) and Burlington County Bridge Commission (\$1,102,612.00); and

WHEREAS, the COPS-MORE program is in the best interest of the citizens of Burlington County in that it allows for more efficient and effective use of municipal officers and includes the following:

An upgraded 911/Dispatching system for Police/Fire/EMS
Police Records and Field Reporting Systems
Mobile Computer Terminal Interface (MCT); and

WHEREAS, in consideration of the Burlington County Board of Chosen Freeholders Agreement to host centralized computer hardware and software in connection with the upgraded computer aided dispatching (CAD), law enforcement records system (LERS) and mobile computer terminals (MCT) the municipalities within the County have indicated their agreement to provide funds necessary to maintain the operation of the centralized hardware and software; and

WHEREAS, the Burlington County Board of Chosen Freeholders and the municipalities within Burlington County are authorized by the Shared Services Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1, et seq., to enter into contracts for the provision of any service which any party to the agreement is authorized to render within its own jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the attached Shared Services Agreement proposed to be entered into between the County of Burlington and the municipal entities within Burlington County has been prepared by the Burlington County Solicitor's office and is deemed to be legally sufficient and enforceable in regard to the mutual obligations set forth therein; and

WHEREAS, the attached Shared Services Agreement for the period of May 1, 2014 to April 30, 2019 has been circulated to the various municipalities with Burlington County for their adoption and execution;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Burlington County Board of Chosen Freeholders that the attached Shared Services Agreement is hereby approved; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Administrator is hereby authorized to sign, seal, execute and witness/attest any such Shared Services Agreement as adopted and executed by any municipality within Burlington County on behalf of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Burlington County, upon approval as to form by the Burlington County Solicitor, in accordance with the Rules of the Board.

MOTION:

SECOND:

ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES:

NAYS:

ABSENT: HIGGINS

ABSTAIN:

CERTIFICATION

I, LINDA SEMUS, RMC, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Mansfield, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, do hereby CERTIFY the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of the resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Mansfield, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey at a meeting held on May 14 2014 at the Mansfield Township Municipal Complex at 7:30 p.m.

LINDA SEMUS, RMC, CMR
Municipal Clerk