

RESOLUTION NO. 2026- 21

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS, WOODBRIDGE
TOWNSHIP FIRE DISTRICT NO. 9, MIDDLESEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY,
AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH
THE TOWNSHIP OF WOODBRIDGE AND THE VARIOUS FIRE COMPANIES FOR
RADIO COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM MAINTENANCE
THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2027**

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners of Woodbridge Township Fire District No. 9 (the "Fire District" or "District") is the governing body of the District, vested with the authority to manage, control, and direct the affairs of the District pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:14-70 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, in 2009 the Township of Woodbridge funded the installation of a new regional communications system, at a cost of approximately \$10 million, to replace the outdated radio systems used for emergency communications by the Township Police Department, its various fire houses and emergency medical service providers, the Department of Public Works, and the Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, the warranty that was previously in place for the communications system has expired; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Woodbridge has negotiated a maintenance agreement with Motorola at a fixed annual cost to cover the infrastructure of the radio communications system for repairs, preventative maintenance, and biennial upgrades; and

WHEREAS, all users of the communications system have agreed to share the cost of the maintenance agreement, including the District's fire company, Iselin Fire Company #1, with a contribution of Twenty-One Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-One Dollars (\$21,221.00) as set forth in Exhibit A of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq., the Township of Woodbridge and the various fire companies, including Iselin Fire Company #1, have negotiated a Shared Services Agreement for the Radio Communications System Maintenance, which shall take effect upon the adoption of an approving resolution by the Township and an approving resolution by each fire company/fire district; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Fire Commissioners has determined that authorizing the execution of the Shared Services Agreement, and the payment of the District's share of the maintenance costs thereunder, is in the best interest of the Fire District and necessary for the continued emergency communications capabilities of the District's fire companies.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Woodbridge Township Fire District No. 9, Middlesex County, New Jersey, that the execution of a Shared Services Agreement between the Township of Woodbridge and Woodbridge Fire

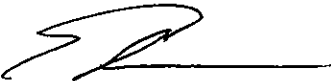
Department, Port Reading Fire Company #1, Avenel Fire Department, Fords Fire Company #1, Hopelawn Engine Company #1, Iselin Fire Company #1, Iselin Chemical Hook & Ladder and Colonia Fire Department for Radio Communications System Maintenance through September 30, 2027, in the form substantially similar to that on file in the Office of the Fire District Administrator, is hereby authorized, and the proper officials of the District are hereby authorized and directed to execute the Agreement and to make and perform any and all acts necessary to carry out the purposes of the Agreement, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the District's share of the annual radio communications system maintenance agreement is hereby authorized in the amount of Twenty-One Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-One Dollars (\$21,221.00) for Iselin Fire Company #1, as set forth in Exhibit A of the Agreement, with payment to be made in accordance with the payment options set forth in the Agreement.

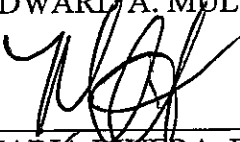
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the Township Clerk of the Township of Woodbridge, Middlesex County, New Jersey, and filed in accordance with statutory requirements, as required for the Agreement to take effect.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall take effect upon adoption by the Board of Fire Commissioners.

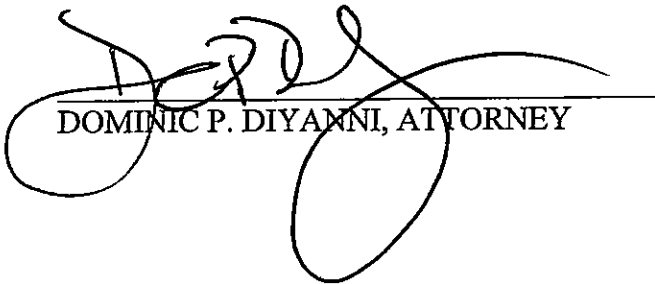
I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THE RESOLUTION
APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF FIRE DISTRICT NO. 9 AT ITS
REGULAR MEETING HELD ON OCTOBER 13, 2026.



EDWARD A. MULLEN, CHAIRMAN



MARIA RIVERA, FIRE DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR



DOMINIC P. DIYANNI, ATTORNEY

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WOODBRIDGE that the Mayor or his designee and the Municipal Clerk are hereby authorized to execute a Shared Services Agreement between the Township of Woodbridge and Woodbridge Fire Department, Port Reading Fire Company #1, Avenel Fire Department, Fords Fire Company #1, Hopelawn Engine Company #1, Iselin Fire Company #1, Iselin Chemical Hook & Ladder and Colonia Fire Department for Radio Communications System through September 30, 2027, in the form substantially similar to that on file in the Office of the Municipal Clerk.

ADOPTED: OCT 06 2026

I hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of the Resolution adopted by the Municipal Council of the Township of Woodbridge at their Regular Meeting held on

OCT 06 2026



JOHN M. MITCH, RMC, CMC, CMR
MUNICIPAL CLERK

**SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TOWNSHIP OF WOODBRIDGE
AND WOODBRIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT, PORT READING FIRE COMPANY #1,
AVENEL FIRE DEPARTMENT, FORDS FIRE COMPANY #1, HOPELAWN ENGINE
COMPANY #1 ISELIN FIRE COMPANY #1, ISELIN CHEMICAL HOOK & LADDER
AND COLONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR RADIO COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM
MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT**

THIS AGREEMENT is made this ____ day of _____, 2026, between the **TOWNSHIP OF WOODBRIDGE**, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey located at 1 Main Street, Woodbridge, New Jersey 07095 (the "TOWNSHIP") and the following fire companies:

WOODBRIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT
418 School Street
Woodbridge, NJ 07095

FORDS FIRE COMPANY #1
667 King George Post Road
Fords, NJ 08863

ISELIN FIRE COMPANY #1
1222 Green Street
Iselin, NJ 08830
732-283-0308

PORT READING FIRE COMPANY #1
916 West Avenue
Port Reading, NJ 07064

AVENEL FIRE DEPARTMENT
P.O. Box 398
346 Avenel Street
Avenel, NJ 07001

HOPELAWN ENGINE COMPANY #1
127 Loretta Street
Hopelawn, NJ 08861

ISELIN CHEMICAL HOOK & LADDER
20 Auth Avenue
Iselin, NJ 08830

COLONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT
250 Inman Avenue
Colonia, NJ 07067

WHEREAS, the TOWNSHIP in 2009 funded the installation of a new regional communications system to replace the outdated radio systems used for emergency communications by the Township Police Department, its various fire houses and emergency medical service providers, the Department of Public Works, and the Board of Education, at a cost of approximately \$10 million; and

WHEREAS, the warranty that was previously in place for the communications system has expired; and

WHEREAS, the TOWNSHIP has negotiated a maintenance agreement with Motorola at a fixed annual cost to cover the infrastructure of the radio communications system for repairs, preventative maintenance, and biennial upgrades; and

WHEREAS, all users of the communications system have agreed to share the cost of the maintenance agreement;

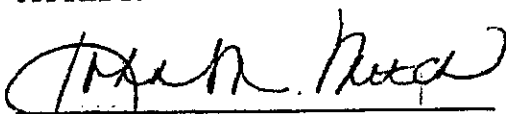
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual and joint obligations set forth herein, the TOWNSHIP and the fire companies that are a party to this agreement do hereby agree as follows:

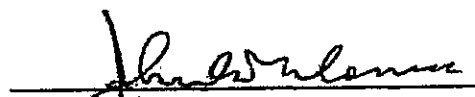
1. The fire companies will each contribute their share of their annual communication system maintenance agreement in accordance with the payment schedule attached hereto as Exhibit A.
2. Each fire company shall have the following payment options:
 - a. Pay the requisite contribution in full on or before April 1, 2027.
 - b. Pay the requisite contribution in full on or before July 1, 2027.
 - c. Pay a portion of the requisite contribution on April 1, 2027, with the entire remaining balance to be paid by July 1, 2027.
3. Each fire company can elect their own payment option as set forth in paragraph 2 above, provided that all payments are made on or before July 1, 2027.
4. Each fire company shall remain responsible for the maintenance of the components of the communications system that are exclusively used by their company. The maintenance agreement referenced herein shall only provide coverage for the infrastructure of the main communications system and not the portions of the system used by each fire house.
5. As provided for in N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq., this Agreement shall take effect upon the adoption of an approving resolution by the Township and an approving resolution by each fire company. Upon proper execution and attestation of this Agreement, the proper officials of each of the parties are hereby authorized and directed to make and perform any and all acts necessary to carry out the purposes of this Agreement.
6. This Agreement shall expire on September 30, 2027.

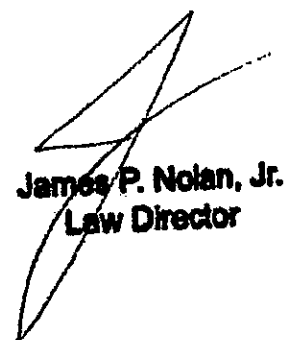
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto shall cause this Agreement to be executed by their proper corporate officials and their proper corporate seals affixed this day and year written above.

ATTEST: .

TOWNSHIP OF WOODBRIDGE


JOHN M. MITCH
MUNICIPAL CLERK


JOHN E. McCORMAC
MAYOR


James P. Nolan, Jr.
Law Director

WOODBIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT

_____, PRESIDENT

PORT READING FIRE COMPANY #1

_____, PRESIDENT

AVENEL FIRE DEPARTMENT

_____, PRESIDENT

FORDS FIRE COMPANY #1

_____, PRESIDENT

HOPELAWN ENGINE COMPANY #1

_____, PRESIDENT

ISELIN FIRE COMPANY #1

EDWARD A MULLER

, PRESIDENT

ISELIN CHEMICAL HOOK & LADDER

_____, PRESIDENT

COLONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT

_____, PRESIDENT

EXHIBIT A TO SHARED SERVICES AGREEMENT

RADIO COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM MAINTENANCE

<u>FIRE COMPANY</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
WOODBIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT	\$21,221
PORT READING FIRE COMPANY #1	\$21,221
AVENEL FIRE DEPARTMENT	\$21,221
FORDS FIRE COMPANY #1	\$72,152
HOPELAWN ENGINE COMPANY #1	\$21,221
ISELIN FIRE COMPANY #1	\$21,221
ISELIN CHEMICAL HOOK & LADDER	\$21,221
COLONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT	\$21,221