LAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION 2020-32

RESOLUTION OF THE LAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE TO AUTHORIZE THE TAX COLLECTOR TO ISSUE A REFUND TO MICHAEL A. VESPASIANO IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7,663.52 FOR AN OVERPAYMENT IN THE 2019 TAXES FOR BLOCK 5.02, LOT 13.09, 11 MILLPOND DRIVE, LLC, IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE DOCKET #001770-2019.

WHEREAS, on May 26, 2020, the Tax Court of New Jersey, Docket # 001770-2019, granted a tax appeal for an assessment on Block 5.02, Lot 13.09, owner of record 11 Millpond Drive, LLC, for the year 2019, reducing the original assessment from \$1,533,100 to \$1,250,000; and

WHEREAS, the reduction of assessment resulted in the 2019 taxes being reduced from \$41,501.02 to \$33,837.50, resulting in an overpayment \$7,663.52; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned Tax Court of New Jersey Judgment, states "Statutory interest pursuant to N.J.S.A. 54:3-27.2 having been waived by taxpayer, shall not be paid provided the tax refund is paid within 60 days of the date of entry of the Tax Court Judgment. Refund shall be payable to Michael A. Vespasiano, Attorney Trust Account".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Lafayette, Sussex County, New Jersey, in accordance with State Statutes that the Tax Collector be authorized to make the necessary refund, payable to Michael A. Vespasiano, Attorney Trust Account, in the amount of \$7,663.52.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Tax Collector, the Chief Financial Officer, Township Attorney, and Township Auditor for their records.

CERTIFICATION

I, Anna Rose Fedish, Clerk of the Township of Lafayette, Sussex County, New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Original Resolution duly passed and adopted by a majority of the full membership of the Lafayette Township Committee at the meeting of July 8, 2020.

Anna Rose Fedish, RMC Municipal Clerk