

**LAFAYETTE TOWNSHIP
SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

RESOLUTION 20-34

WHEREAS, an emergency has arisen with respect to professional fees related to the appeal of High Point Regional Board of Education 2020–2021 Budget and, no adequate provision was made in the 2020 budget for the aforesaid purpose, and NJS 40A:4-46 provides for the creation on an emergency appropriation for the purpose mentioned above; and

WHEREAS, the total amount of the emergency appropriations created, including the appropriation to be created by this resolution is \$10,000.00 and three (3) percent of the total operating appropriations in the budget for 2020 is \$47,515.90; and

WHEREAS, the foregoing appropriation together with prior appropriations does not exceed three (3) percent of the total operating appropriations (including utility operation appropriations) in the budget for 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, (by not less than 2/3 of all governing body members affirmatively concurring) that in accordance with NJS 40A:4-48:

1. An emergency appropriation is hereby made for Legal–Other Expenses for professional fees associated with the appeal of the 2020-2021 High Point Regional Board of Education Budget in the amount of \$10,000.00.
2. That said emergency appropriation shall be provided for in full in the 2021 budget, and is requested to be excluded from CAPS, pursuant to NJS 40A:4-53.3c(1).
3. That two (2) certified copies of this resolution be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.

CERTIFICATION

Certified as a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Lafayette Township Committee of the Township of Lafayette, Sussex County, New Jersey at a meeting held on July 8, 2020.

AnnaRose Fedish, RMC
Municipal Clerk

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**CERTIFICATION FOR EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION FORM
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER**

This statement must be prepared in duplicate by the chief financial officer and filed with the municipal clerk **prior to the adoption** of the emergency resolution. The duplicate must be filed with the Director of the Division of Local Government Services together with the emergency resolution.

Please answer all questions:

Purpose of emergency appropriation: Legal-Other Expenses for professional fees related to the Appeal of the 2020–2021 High Point Board of Education Budget, which has a 14% increase over the previous year.

Date of occurrence: 06/02/2020

Have any contracts been awarded or purchase orders placed in connection with this emergency appropriation? No

Date: 07/08/2020

Chief Financial Officer: _____

Municipality: Township of Lafayette