

RESOLUTION
TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN
AUTHORIZING THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING CONSULTANT
TO RESPOND TO ACOURT DECISION
R-104-2015

WHEREAS, on March 10, 2015, the Supreme Court of New Jersey issued a ruling on the Fair Share Housing Center's (hereinafter "FSHC") Motion in Aid of Litigants' Rights ruled in favor of FSHC with regard to their application; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the Supreme Court's ruling, certain actions need to be taken by Franklin Township and other municipalities in order to address what the Court has mandated as a constitutional obligation of each municipality within the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, Jeffrey R. Surenian and Associates, LLC, the Township of Franklin's Legal Advisor as to matters involving affordable housing, has recommended that the Township of Franklin take certain action in the courts of the State of New Jersey in order to address these obligations; and

WHEREAS, the recommendations of Mr. Surenian are contained in a Confidential Attorney/Client Memorandum which the Township Committee agrees with the steps set forth therein.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Franklin, County of Gloucester, State of New Jersey, that the Franklin Township Committee hereby authorizes Jeffrey R. Surenian and Associates, LLC., to take all appropriate action, including but not limited to, filing an action in the Superior Court of New Jersey, Chancery Division, Gloucester County, to address the requirements set forth by the New Jersey Supreme Court in a decision dated March 10, 2015 captioned In the Matter of the Adoption of N.J.A.C. 5:96 and 5:97 by the New Jersey Council on Affordable Housing.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Franklin held on Tuesday, June 9, 2015.

Attest:

Township of Franklin

Barbara Freijomil, Clerk

Edward Leopardi, Mayor

CERTIFICATION

I, Barbara Freijomil, Township Clerk of the Township of Franklin, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was presented and duly adopted by the Township Committee at a meeting held on Tuesday, June 9, 2015.

Barbara Freijomil, Township Clerk