

TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN
R-175-15

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A COMMITTEE TO MAKE
RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE MAYOR
FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF CHIEF OF POLICE**

WHEREAS, a vacancy currently exists in the Franklin Township Police Department for the position of Chief of Police; and

WHEREAS, §98-30A of the Township Code for the Township of Franklin provides that “the Police Chief shall be appointed by the Mayor with the advice and consent of the Township Committee”; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor, in order to aid and facilitate the decision making process has determined that the Township’s Personnel Committee together with other individuals shall form a Special Committee for the purpose of implementing a process to determine qualified candidates for the position of Chief of Police and make a recommendation to the Mayor; and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Franklin, County of Gloucester, State of New Jersey that a Special Committee is hereby established for the purpose of making a recommendation to the Mayor as well as said recommendation being provided to the full Township Committee.

BE IT FURTHER resolved that the Special Committee shall consist of the following:

- (1) The Personnel Committee - Lou Gonzalez, Deputy Mayor and Sheryl Neely, Committeewoman
- (2) Debra Fourre, Business Administrator
- (3) John C. Eastlack, Jr., Esquire, Solicitor
- (4) Charles Billingham, Camden County Sheriff

BE IT FURTHER resolved that the Personnel Committee shall establish an evaluation process to be implemented by the special committee. The application process shall be made available to qualified applicants with the current rank of Sergeant or higher within the Franklin Township Police Department.

BE IT FURTHER resolved that the Special Committee shall have a target date of October 20, 2015 to make the recommendation in writing.

This Resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Franklin on Tuesday, September 8, 2015.

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN

BARBARA FREIJOMIL, CLERK

EDWARD LEOPARDI, MAYOR

CERTIFICATION

I, Barbara Freijomil, Clerk of the Township of Franklin do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was presented and duly adopted by the Township Council of the Township of Franklin at a meeting held on September 8, 2015.

BARBARA FREIJOMIL, CLERK