

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RETIREMENT OF
K-9 MONTY AND TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP**

WHEREAS, on or about May of 2018, the Township of Pennsauken acquired a male German Shepard canine dog, now known as Monty; and

WHEREAS, Monty was trained and certified in Patrol and Narcotics. Under the patrol certification, Monty could do tracks, article searches, building searches and handler protection; and

WHEREAS, in narcotics Monty was trained to detect the presence of illegal narcotics and in such was valuable in many cases resulting in arrest; and

WHEREAS, Officer Joe Hurley will be retiring April 1st, 2022; and

WHEREAS, Monty when off duty is a family member of the Hurley family, and deserves to retire with his family and live a comfortable retirement with them; and

WHEREAS, Monty shall be donated to Officer Hurley and his family, and the ownership of Monty shall be transferred to Joe Hurley upon his retirement and his accepting custody of Monty and assuming all liability and responsibility for the care of Monty for the remainder of Monty's life.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Pennsauken, Camden County in the State of New Jersey, authorizes the retirement of Monty and the donation and transfer of ownership of Monty to Officer Joe Hurley in a manner that will require no further expenditure by the Township for the care and upkeep of Monty for the remainder of Monty's life.

RESOLVED AND ENACTED at a scheduled public meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Pennsauken, Camden County, this 11th of April 2022.

TOWNSHIP OF PENNSAUKEN

Pamela Scott-Forman, RMC, CMR
Township Clerk

ADOPTED: