

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH BRUNSWICK
AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO RESOLUTION 250-8.22 FOR THE
REIMBURSEMENT OF COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE
2022 YOUTH SPORTS FESTIVAL**

WHEREAS, The North Brunswick Youth Sports Festival (“YSF”) is a nonprofit organization of which assists in providing funding for Youth Sports Groups of North Brunswick – Adams AC Football and Cheerleading, North Brunswick Soccer Club, North Brunswick Baseball and Softball Association and the North Brunswick Travel Basketball Association; and

WHEREAS, The North Brunswick Youth Sports Festival also provides direct municipal support in the form of field maintenance and purchasing related sporting equipment; and

WHEREAS, The North Brunswick Youth Sports Festival makes an annual application to the Township to host an annual June/July Sports Festival that requires the use of municipal services; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance 19-09 which amended North Brunswick Municipal Code 166-1 et seq., and defined “Public Entertainment” as an event that is not hosted by the municipality which anticipates a large gathering, including but not limited to the following: a circus, carnival, fair, festival/celebration, concert, exhibition, car show, parade/procession, expo, fundraiser, scholar event competition, multi-team organized sporting event, run/walk/bike/triathlon, or hobby; and

WHEREAS, under the municipal code, the applicant shall be responsible to pay for the costs of all municipal services, including, but not limited to, Public Works, Parks, Office of Emergency Management, and extra-duty for Police services; and

WHEREAS, on April 11, 2022, pursuant to Resolution 127-4.22, the North Brunswick Youth Sports Festival organization made a request for consideration with regards to the Township waiving municipal fees under North Brunswick Municipal Code 166-1 et seq., due to the nature of the non-profit organization raising and providing funds through the previous year that directly support youth programs and municipal operations; and

WHEREAS, on August 1, 2022, pursuant to Resolution 250-8.22, the Township Council waived municipal fees in the amount of \$5,932.93 for Public Works and Parks support services provided during the event and authorized reimbursement in the amount of \$41,666.56 for Off-duty Police services, representing 50% of the \$83,333.11 invoiced; and

WHEREAS, subsequent to the August 1, 2022 Meeting, The North Brunswick Youth Sports Festival made a request for consideration with regards to the Township providing reimbursement in the amount of \$83,333.11 for Off-duty Police services, representing 100% of amount invoiced; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, on this 19th day of September 2022, that the Mayor has reviewed the request and recommends amending Resolution 250-8.22 with regards to the request to waive municipal fees associated with the 2022 festival, providing for reimbursement in the amount of \$83,333.11 for Off-duty Police services.

Resolution: _____

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick does hereby authorize and approve the request from The North Brunswick Youth Sports Festival to provide reimbursement for Off-duty Police Services in the amount of \$83,333.11 under North Brunswick Municipal Code 166-1 et seq.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Township Council hereby authorizes the Chief Financial Officer to issue payment in the amount of \$83,333.11 to The North Brunswick Youth Sports Festival as a special item not listed within the Bill List.

Justine Progebin
Business Administrator

Ronald Gordon, Esq.
Township Attorney
Approved as to legal form

RECORDED VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	NOTES
HUTCHINSON				
MEHTA				
GUADAGNINO				
ANDREWS				
SOCIO				
DAVIS				
MAYOR WOMACK				

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was duly adopted by the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick, County of Middlesex, at its meeting held on September 19, 2022

Lisa Russo
Township Clerk