

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EMERGENCY APPROPRIATION PURSUANT TO
N.J.S.A. 40A:4-46 AND N.J.S.A. 40A:4-48 DUE TO HEALTH BENEFIT CLAIMS**

WHEREAS, an emergency has arisen with respects to expenses related to meet expenses related to substantial unanticipated and unforeseen health benefit claims and no adequate provision was made in the 2015 budget for the aforesaid purpose, and N.J.S. 40A:4-46 provides for the creation of an emergency appropriation for the purpose above mentioned, and

WHEREAS, the total amount of emergency appropriations created including the appropriation to be created by this resolution is \$1,500,00.00 and three per cent of the total operations in the budget for the year 2015 is \$1,903,595.01, and

WHEREAS, the foregoing appropriation together with prior appropriations does not exceed three percent of the total current appropriations in the budget for the year 2015,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE, IN THE COUNTY OF ESSEX, NEW JERSEY (not less than two-thirds of all the members thereof affirmatively concurring), AS FOLLOWS:

1. An emergency appropriation be and the same is hereby made pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:4-46 for funding of expenses related to meet expenses related to substantial unanticipated and unforeseen health benefit claims in the amount of \$1,500,000.00.
2. That said emergency appropriation shall be provided in full in the 2016 budget, except if financing of such emergency appropriation shall have been made from other funds or by authorization of notes or bonds pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:2-3 or 40A:2-51.
3. That two certified copies of this resolution be filed with the Director of Local Government Services.

Karen J. Carnevale
Municipal Clerk

Jerry Guarino
Council President

Adopted: December 15, 2015