

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, for many years the Montclair Golf Club at Rock Spring (“the Club”), located at 90 Rock Spring Road, West Orange, New Jersey 07052, has arranged for a small helicopter to land on the grounds of the Club to deliver Santa Claus to Club members and their guests in attendance for a holiday celebration; and

WHEREAS, this year’s annual Santa Claus event is scheduled for **Sunday, December 17, 2017** at approximately 1:30 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, Santa’s reindeer, Rudolph et als., are not available for the trip at this time of year as they must be well-rested in preparation for their big Christmas Eve event; and

WHEREAS, Santa Claus has again graciously managed to make arrangements to travel by small helicopter to attend the Club’s annual holiday celebration; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Department of Transportation, Division of Aeronautics, Inspection & Aircraft Operation, not wanting to be Scrooge-like, does permit and has in the past permitted helicopter landings such as these on country club property when approved pursuant to its application process; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Lever, the helicopter pilot and agent for the Club, will prepare the required Application for Temporary Aeronautical Facility License for submission to the New Jersey Department of Transportation, and which must be accompanied by, among other documents and things which the Club will provide, a “letter, statement, or certificate from the appropriate governing body which states there is no objection to the issuance of a temporary license (mandatory for all temps)”; and

WHEREAS, for this event, the appropriate body is the Township Council of the Township of West Orange; and

NOW, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Township Council of the Township of West Orange, does and hereby states that it has no objection to the issuance of a Temporary Aeronautical Facility License to the Montclair Golf Club at Rock Spring, located at 90 Rock Spring Road, West Orange, NJ 07052, for the purpose of permitting transportation and delivery of Santa Claus to the Club at approximately 1:30 p.m., on **Sunday, December 17, 2017**, for participation in the Club's traditional Christmas celebration; and it is further

RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall be made available in the Clerk's office for reasonable inspection in accordance with applicable law.

Karen J. Carnevale, R.M.C.
Municipal Clerk

Joe Krakoviak
Council President

Adopted: November 21, 2017