

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, on April 5, 2018, the New Jersey State Assembly introduced Assembly Bill No. 3801 to create a \$10.5 million supplemental appropriation for funding for Per Capita Library Aid, annexed hereto as Exhibit “**A**” (“Assembly Bill No. 3801”); and

WHEREAS, on June 11, 2018, the New Jersey State Senate introduced the corresponding Senate Bill No. 2668 for the \$10.5 million supplemental appropriation for funding for Per Capita Library Aid, annexed hereto as Exhibit “**B**” (“Senate Bill No. 2668”); and

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill No. 3801 and Senate Bill No. 2668 (collectively the “Library Aid Supplemental Appropriation Bill” will be presented to the New Jersey Legislature for a vote; and

WHEREAS, public libraries provide an important benefit to the public; and

WHEREAS, public libraries provide access to information and cultural enrichment; and

WHEREAS, the residents of the Township of West Orange (the “Township”) have greatly benefitted from the West Orange Public Library; and

WHEREAS, the Township seeks to support the passage and adoption of the Library Aid Supplemental Appropriation Bill into law.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WEST ORANGE, that the Township hereby urges both the New Jersey Assembly and the New Jersey State Senate to pass and adopt the Library Aid Supplemental Appropriation Bill; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Township also urges Governor Phil Murphy to sign into law the Library Aid Supplemental Appropriation Bill; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Township Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Resolution to New Jersey State Senator and former Governor Richard Codey, New Jersey State Assemblywoman

Mila Jasey, New Jersey State Assemblyman John F. McKeon, and Governor Phil Murphy; and
be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution shall be made available in the Clerk's office
in accordance with applicable law.

Karen Carnevale, R.M.C.
Township Clerk

Jerry Guarino
Council President

Adopted: April 9, 2019