RESOLUTION 2021-152

RESOLUTION LIFTING SUSPENSION OF COLTS NECK TOWNSHIP FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMBER

WHEREAS, member DM of the Township Fire Department was suspended and prohibited from performing certain duties during the pendency of an investigation into an off-duty incident; and

WHEREAS, the Colts Neck Township Fire Chief reinstated member DM prior to the full dissolution of the matter involving such incident; and

WHEREAS, Section 28-2(C) of the Township Code gives the Township Committee the authority to overrule decisions made by the Township Fire Companies in the interest of the welfare of the Township; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee believed that it was in the best interest of the welfare of the Township for member DM to remain suspended and prohibited from performing certain duties until the full dissolution of the matter involving such off-duty incident; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee duly passed Resolution 2021-131 on June 30, 2021, overruling the decision of the Colts Neck Township Fire Chief to reinstate and unsuspend member DM thus suspending DM and prohibiting DM from driving until further notice; and

WHEREAS, the Township has learned that DM's case was disposed of by the municipal court on Tuesday, July 27, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Committee of Colts Neck Township, County of Monmouth, New Jersey hereby lifts the suspension of member DM effective immediately.

I, Trina Lindsey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and accurate copy of a Resolution passed by the Township Committee of Colts Neck Township during a regular meeting held on the 11th day of August.

Trina Lindsey, Municipal Clerk

RECORD OF VOTE					
	M S	Yes	No	NV	Ab
Mayor Viola		X			
Deputy Mayor Bartolomeo	M	X			
Fitzpatrick	S	X			
Torchia Buss		X			
Rizzuto				X	