

*Fire District No. 3*

Township of Hanover, County of Morris

**MAY 5, 2016**

**RESOLUTION SUPPORTING H.R.343, THE VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY  
RESPONDERS TAX DEDUCTION ACT**

**16-05-05-64**

**WHEREAS, H.R. 343**, the Volunteer Emergency Responders Tax Deduction Act, introduced in the United States Congress on January 14, 2015, seeks to amend the Internal Revenue Service's Code of 1986 to allow for charitable deductions recognizing the service of Volunteer Firefighters, Emergency Medical Technicians and Certain Rescue personnel, and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Fire Commissioners desires to support the passage of the above act, as being beneficial to encouraging continued service by its current members, and so as to incentivize future volunteers providing such services.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Fire Commissioners of Fire District No.3, Township of Hanover, County of Morris, State of New Jersey that we

1. The Board supports the passage of such legislation as being beneficial to the longevity of volunteer services, and
2. The Board is hereby authorized to take any such steps as necessary to effectuate the purposes of this Resolution.

I hereby certify the forgoing to be a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioner on this the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2016.

**Robert Callas, Secretary**