Township Council
1 Municipal Plaza
Bloomfield, NJ 07003

Louise M. Palagano
Municipal Clerk

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Meeting: 09/15/25 07:00 PM

2025 RESOLUTION EMPLOYEES

B25 364

RESOLUTION APPOINTING STEVE MARTINO AS ACTING DIRECTOR OF LAW EFFECTIVE JULY 15, 2025

WHEREAS the table of organization of the Township of Bloomfield requires the appointment of a Director of Law to perform all of the duties and responsibilities set forth in the Charter of the Township of Bloomfield, its by-laws, ordinances and laws of the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, Michael Parlavecchio will have resigned from his position as the Director of Law effective July 25, 2025; and

WHEREAS, Steve Martino, the Assistant Director of Law, has undertaken the duties of the Director of Law including during a ten day transition period prior to Michael Parlavecchio's effective resignation date while at the same time continued to perform his duties as Assistant Director of Law; and

WHEREAS, Steve Martino **is** interested in filling the position of Acting Director of Law, in addition to continuing to hold his position as Assistant Director of Law, until the Township fills the position on a permanent basis; and

WHEREAS the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Bloomfield have determined it is in the best interest of the Township to appoint Steve Martino as Acting Director of Law to perform these duties and responsibilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield, County of Essex, State of New Jersey that Steve Martino is hereby appointed as the Acting Director of Law, effective July 15, 2025 with a stipend of $5,662 per month for this

acting role until the appointment of a permanent Director of Law to include a transition period as

determined by the Township Administrator. At the conclusion of the transition period, Steve

Martino will no longer receive the stipend and remain in the position of Assistant Director of

Law.

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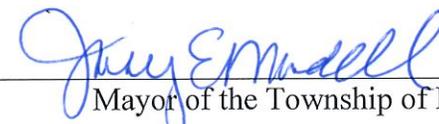Approved as to form and procedure on basis of facts set forth.

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Director of Law-Township Attorney

I do hereby certify that the funding will be legally appropriated per the above information for the purpose specified in the attached contract. Furthermore, it has been represented to me that the contracts have been processed in accordance with the applicable provisions of New Jersey Local Public Contract Law and the Code of the Township of Bloomfield.

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Chief Financial Officer

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly adopted by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Bloomfield at a meeting of said Township Council held on September 15, 2025.

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Municipal Clerk of the Township of Bloomfield

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Mayor of the Township of Bloomfield

✓ Vote Record – Resolution		Yes/Aye	No/Nay	Abstain	Absent
☐ Adopt ☐ Deny					
☐ Withdrawn	Rosalee Gonzalez	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Table	Nicholas Joanow	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Not Discussed ☐ First Reading	Sarah Cruz	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Table with no Vote	Monica Charris Tabares	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Approve ☐ Veto by Mayor	Wartyna Davis	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Discussion	Widney Polynice	☑	☐	☐	☐
☐ Defeated ☐ Discussion No Vote	Jenny Mundell	☑	☐	☐	☐