## Fire District No. 3

Township of Hanover, County of Morris

## RESOLUTION APPOINTING COUNSEL MARCH 1, 2016

## **Resolution 16-03-01-30**

**WHEREAS,** there exists a need for certain legal services for the Commissioners of Fire District No. 3, Township of Hanover, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, and

**WHEREAS,** funds are available or will be available for the purpose of obtaining such services; and

**WHEREAS,** the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.) requires that the resolution authorizing the award of contracts for "Professional Services" without competitive bids must be publicly advertised:

## NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF FIRE DISTRICT No. 3, TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY as follows:

- 1. Richard Braslow, Esq., 516 Fielders Lane, Toms River, New Jersey is hereby appointed as legal counsel for this Board to serve for a term of one year or until the reorganization meeting of the Board following the annual election.
- 2. Richard Braslow, Esq. shall be paid on a fee for services basis for services rendered as per his contract with the Board.
- 3. This appointment is made without competitive bidding as "Professional Services" under the provisions of the Local Public Contract Law because the services to be rendered or performed are by persons authorized by law to practice a recognized profession and whose practices are regulated by law and such services are of such a qualitative nature as will not reasonably permit the drawing of specifications or the receipt of competitive bids.
- 4. Notice of the authorized contract award shall be published in the official newspaper within ten (10) days of its passage.

It is hereby certified that this resolution is adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners on this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March 2016.

**Robert Callas, Secretary**