

RESOLUTION 2026-177

**RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE
TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE AND THE FLORENCE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF
EDUCATION TO PROVIDE SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS (SRO) FOR THE
2026/2027 SCHOOL YEAR**

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq., municipalities and local boards of education may enter into agreements for shared services with other municipalities and local boards of education to provide or receive any service that the local unit participating in the agreement is empowered to provide or receive within its own jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the agreement must comply with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 40A:65-7 and specify the services to be performed under the agreement, procedures for payment, and assignment and allocation of responsibility for meeting standards between and among the parties; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Florence and the Florence Township Board of Education desire to join together to provide a School Resource Officer (SRO) for the 2026/2027 School Year pursuant to the attached Agreement; and

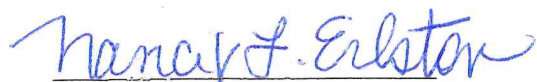
WHEREAS, the Township of Florence desires to enter into an Agreement with the Florence Township Board of Education for the purpose of setting forth the terms and conditions regarding the assignment of three (3) School Resource Officers ("SRO") for the 2026/2027 School Year.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Florence, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Mayor is authorized to execute and the Township Clerk to attest to the Agreement between the Township of Florence and the Florence Township Board of Education to provide School Resource Officers (SRO) for the Florence Township School District.
2. A copy of said Agreement will be kept on file within the Township Clerk's Office.
3. Payment will be due from the Florence Township Board of Education to the Township during the 2026/2027 school year for the services of the SRO as provided in Section 3 of the attached Shared Services Agreement.
4. All terms and conditions are in accordance with the Shared Services Agreement attached hereto as Exhibit A.
5. Certified copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to the Department of Community Affairs/Division of Local Government Services (DLGS), the Florence Township Board of Education, Superintendent of Schools, School Administrator, Township Administrator, Township Treasurer, Township Chief of Police, and Personnel Department.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

I, NANCY L. ERLSTON, Clerk of the Township of Florence, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Resolution approved by Township Council at their September 2, 2026 meeting.


Nancy L. Erlston, RMC
Township Clerk