

**TOWNSHIP OF FRANKFORD
COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

RESOLUTION 2024-083

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A SHARED SERVICE AGREEMENT
WITH THE TOWNSHIP OF WANTAGE FOR ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES
THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2025**

WHEREAS, the Uniform Shared Services and Consolidation Act, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq., allows municipalities to share services for an Animal Control Officer in order to promote and effectuate the sharing of a service; and

WHEREAS, Frankford Township desires to contract with the Township of Wantage for the furnishing of the services of Animal Control as set forth in for the provision of services in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:65-1 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Frankford has determined that the sharing of Animal Control Services will provide a cost savings to the taxpayers of Frankford while not putting any additional burden on the taxpayers of the Township of Wantage; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Frankford, County of Sussex and State of New Jersey as follows:

1. The Township Committee hereby authorizes and directs the Mayor and Municipal Clerk to execute the attached Shared Services Agreement with the Township of Wantage for Animal Control Services in accordance with the terms and provisions set forth.
2. A copy of the Agreement shall be filed with the Township Clerk and shall be open for public inspection at the Township Municipal Building upon adoption of this Resolution.
3. The Agreement shall take effect on January 1, 2025, conditioned upon the adoption of a reciprocal Resolution by the Township of Wantage and its execution of the Agreement.
4. A copy of the Agreement shall be sent by the Township of Wantage to the State of New Jersey, Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs.

CERTIFICATION

I, Lori Nienstedt, Municipal Clerk for the Township of Frankford, County of Sussex, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of the Resolution adopted by the Frankford Township Committee on December 17, 2024.

Lori Nienstedt, RMC, MBA
Municipal Clerk, Administrator