

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-18.

A RESOLUTION OF HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP, BEAVER COUNTY, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, ELECTING TO AMEND ITS NON-UNIFORM PENSION PLAN ADMINISTERED BY THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT LAW; AGREEING TO BE BOUND BY ALL PROVISIONS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT LAW AS AMENDED AND AS APPLICABLE TO MEMBER MUNICIPALITIES. IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP, BEAVER COUNTY, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. Hopewell Township (the Township), having established a non-uniform pension plan administered by the Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement System (the System), hereby elects to amend its Non-Uniform Pension Plan administered by the System in accordance with Article IV of the Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement Law, 53 P.S. §881.101 et seq. (Retirement Law), and does hereby agree to be bound by all the requirements and provisions of the Retirement Law and the Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act, 53 P.S. §895.101 et seq. and to assume all obligations, financial and otherwise, placed upon member municipalities.

SECTION II. As part of this Resolution the Township agrees that the System shall administer and provide the benefits set forth in the amended Non-Uniform Pension Plan Document entered into between the Pennsylvania Municipal Retirement Board and the Township effective as of the date specified in the adoption agreement (the Contract).

SECTION III. The Township acknowledges that by passage and adoption of this Resolution, the Township officially accepts the Contract and the financial obligations resulting from the administration of the Contract.

SECTION IV. Payment for any obligation established by the adoption of this Resolution and the Contract shall be made by the Township in accordance with the Retirement Law and the Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act. The Township hereby assumes all liability for any unfundedness created due to the benefit structure set forth in the Contract.

SECTION V. The Township intends this Resolution to be the complete authorization of the Contract, as amended and it shall become effective as of the date specified in the adoption agreement, which is the effective date of the Contract, as amended.

SECTION VI. A duly certified copy of this Resolution and an executed Contract shall be filed with the System.

ORDAINED this 14th day of September 2026.

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ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joe Kusma", written over a horizontal line.A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of stylized initials or a name.

Reviewed by PRMS Legal Counsel _____