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TOWNSHIP OF GLOUCESTER, FIRE DISTRICT NO. 6 AUTHORIZING EXECUTIVE SESSION

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 10:4-12 allows for a Public Body to go into closed session during a Public Meeting, and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of Gloucester Township Fire District No. 6 has deemed it necessary to go into closed session to discuss certain matters which are exempted from the Public; and

WHEREAS, the regular meeting of this Governing Body will reconvene;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Fire Commissioners of Gloucester Township Fire District No. 6 will go into closed session for the following reason(s) as outlined in N.J.S.A. 10:4-12:

_____ Any matter which, by express provision of Federal Law, State Statute or Rule of Court shall be rendered confidential or excluded from discussion in public (Provision relied upon: _____);

_____ Any matter in which the release of information would impair a right to receive funds from the federal government;

_____ Any matter the disclosure of which constitutes an unwarranted invasion of individual privacy;

_____ Any collective bargaining agreement, or the terms and conditions of which are proposed for inclusion in any collective bargaining agreement, including the negotiation of terms and conditions with employees or representatives of employees of the public body (Specify contract:);

_____ Any matter involving the purpose, lease or acquisition of real property with public funds, the setting of bank rates or investment of public funds where it could adversely affect the public interest if discussion of such matters were disclosed; CS -67 Command Vehicles

_____ Any tactics and techniques utilized in protecting the safety and property of the public provided that their disclosure could impair such protection;

_____ Any investigations of violations or possible violations of the law;

 x Any pending or anticipated litigation or contract negotiation in which the public body is or may become a party. Any matters falling within the attorney-client privilege, to the extent that confidentiality is required in order for the attorney to exercise his ethical duties as a lawyer (If pending or anticipated litigation, the matter is: _____)

(If contract negotiation the nature of the contract and interested party is _____)

Under certain circumstances, if public disclosure of the matter would have a potentially negative impact on the Fire District's position in the litigation or negotiation, this information may be withheld until such time that the matter is concluded or the circumstances no longer present a potential impact);

 X Any matter involving the employment, appointment, termination of employment, terms and conditions of employment, evaluation of the performance, promotion or disciplining of any specific prospective public officer or employee or current public officer or employee employed or appointed by the public body, unless all individual employees or appointees whose rights could be adversely affected request in writing that such matter or matters be discussed at a public meeting (Subject to the balancing of the public's interest and the employee's privacy rights under *South Jersey Publishing*, 124 N.J. 478, the employee(s) and nature of discussion _____
Personnel Issues _____);

_____ Any deliberation of a public body occurring after a public hearing that may result in the imposition of a specific civil penalty upon the responding party of the suspension or loss of a license or permit belonging to the responding party as a result of any act of omission for which the responding party bears responsibility;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Fire Commissioners, Gloucester Township Fire District No. 6 hereby declares that its discussion of the aforementioned subject(s) may be made public at a time when the Board's Attorney advises the Board of Fire Commissioners that the disclosure of the discussion will not detrimentally affect any right, interest or duty of the Board or any other entity with respect to said discussion. That time is currently estimated as the time of said matter. (Estimated date: _____) or upon the occurrence of _____);

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Fire Commissioners, Gloucester Township Fire District No.6, for the aforementioned reasons, hereby declares that the public is excluded from the portion of the meeting during which the above discussion shall take place and hereby directs the Board Clerk to take the appropriate action to effectuate the terms of this resolution.

I, Renee Evans, Clerk do hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners, Gloucester Township Fire District No. 6 at their meeting held on February 22, 2024 at the Erial Fire Station, 1946 Williamstown Road, Erial, NJ.

Renee Evans, Clerk