

LOWER SAUCON TOWNSHIP

RESOLUTION #74-2015

A RESOLUTION HONORING

ROBERT F. (BOB) MATEFF

**FOR HIS SERVICE AS NORTHAMPTON COUNTY EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIRECTOR**

WHEREAS, Bob Mateff has been serving the residents of Northampton County for over twenty-six (26) years in various capacities; and

WHEREAS, Bob, who began his career as a County Deputy Sheriff and then as a 9-1-1 dispatcher, served for ten (10) years as the Deputy Director for 911 operations; and

WHEREAS, Bob, who previously resided in the Township and is now a Hellertown resident, earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from DeSales University and a Pennsylvania Preparedness Leadership Certificate from the University of Pittsburgh Graduate School of Public Health. In addition, he holds certifications as an Emergency Number Professional (ENP) and as a Certified Emergency Manager (CEM); and

WHEREAS, in 2008 Bob was named the first Director of the County's newly created Division of Emergency Management Services (NCEMS); and

WHEREAS, during Bob's tenure as NCEMS Director, the County 911 system saw many technological improvements, and through the leadership of the Emergency Management office Northampton County municipalities were able to improve their responses and recovery from emergency and disaster events, and

WHEREAS, Bob has relinquished his post to assume the position of Deputy Director for 9-1-1 at the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency (PEMA).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of Lower Saucon Township, Ronald Horiszny, President; Thomas Maxfield, Vice President; Priscilla deLeon, Council Member; Glenn Kern, Council Member; and David Willard, Council Member; wishes to commend Robert (Bob) Mateff for his service and dedication to the residents of the Northampton County.

ADOPTED and **ENACTED** this 17th day of June, 2015.

Lower Saucon Township

Ronald Horiszny
Council President

Jack Cahalan
Township Manager