

EXPLANATION: This resolution authorizes the hiring of a replacement police officer, following the retirement of Chief W. Patrick Ussery, by the Bedminster Township Police Department.

**BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP
RESOLUTION NO. 2014-076**

WHEREAS the Bedminster Township Police Department has a vacancy in the position of police officer following the retirement of Chief W. Patrick Ussery effective May 1, 2014, and

WHEREAS the new Chief of Police and an interview board consisting of the Lieutenant and two senior Sergeants have interviewed twelve candidates who have recently graduated from the Somerset County Police Academy and on the basis of the interviews, class performance, education, and employment history, recommend one candidate.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Bedminster in the County of Somerset that Michael R. Mastandino, 15 Winant Road, Kendall Park, NJ 08824, be hereby appointed to the position of probationary Police Officer for the Township of Bedminster at the starting salary of \$45,000, effective July 1, 2014.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this resolution be provided to the Chief of Police, Township Administrator, and Payroll Clerk.

ATTEST:

BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE:

BY: _____
Judith A. Sullivan, RMC
Township Clerk

BY: _____
Steven E. Parker, Mayor

CERTIFICATION

I, JUDITH A. SULLIVAN, Clerk of the Township of Bedminster in the County of Somerset, New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Bedminster at a regular meeting of said Township Committee held on May 19, 2014.

Judith A. Sullivan, RMC, Township Clerk

Introduced	Seconded	Township Committee	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Steven E. Parker, Mayor				
		Bernie Pane				
		Carolyn Freeman				
		Lawrence F. Jacobs				
		Staci Santucci				