

EXPLANATION: This Ordinance authorizes Bedminster Township's 80% share of the purchase of Swift Water Rescue Equipment, Protective Firefighting Gear Clothing, Firefighting Tools and Fire Hose for the Far Hills-Bedminster Fire Department at a cost not to exceed \$34,593.38 and authorizes Bedminster Township's share of the purchase of Protective Firefighting Gear Clothing and a Thermal Imaging Camera for the Pottersville Volunteer Fire Company at a cost not to exceed \$25,536.31.

BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP

ORDINANCE No.2014-007

BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Committee of the Township of Bedminster, in the County of Somerset, New Jersey as follows:

SECTION I. The Township Committee hereby determines and states that it is in the best interest of the Township to authorize Bedminster Township's 80% share of the purchase of equipment for the Far Hills-Bedminster Fire Department.

SECTION II. The Township Committee hereby determines and states that it is in the best interest of the Township to authorize Bedminster Township's share of the purchase of equipment for the Pottersville Volunteer Fire Company.

SECTION III: The Sum of \$60,129.69 is hereby appropriated from the Capital Improvement Fund for the following purposes:

A	Purchase of equipment including, but not limited to, swift water rescue equipment to improve the department's ability in providing assistance with swift water rescue operations.
B.	Purchase of protective firefighting gear including, but not limited to, pants, coats, helmets, boots, hoods and gloves as required by NFPA.
C.	Purchase of equipment including, but not limited to, a thermal imaging camera, replacement firefighting hose and firefighting tools.

Such Sum being now available and having been provided for in the duly adopted budget of the Township of Bedminster in the current year.

SECTION IV: Any grant moneys received for the purposes described above hereof shall be applied to direct payment of the cost of the improvements and shall reduce the amount authorized from the capital improvement fund to the extent that such funds are so used.

The period of usefulness is five years or more. The capital budget of the Township is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this ordinance to the extent of any inconsistencies herewith and the resolutions promulgated by the Local Finance Board showing all detail of the amended capital budget and capital program as approved by the Director, Division of Local Government Services are on file with the Township Clerk and are available for public inspection.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final passage and publication in accordance with law.

Introduced by:

Passed:

Published:

Adopted:

ATTEST:

**BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP
COMMITTEE:**

By: _____
Judith A. Sullivan, RMC
Township Clerk

By: _____
Steven E. Parker
Mayor

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