

EXPLANATION: This resolution authorizes the hiring of a new police officer by the Bedminster Township Police Department.

**BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP
RESOLUTION NO. 2019-078**

WHEREAS the Bedminster Township Police Department requested the hiring of a new police officer during 2019 budget discussions, due to the retirement of an officer in 2018, that was approved by the Township Committee, and

WHEREAS the Chief of Police and an interview board consisting of the Detective and two senior Sergeants have interviewed candidates who are currently working for another police agency or have recently graduated, or will soon graduate, from various Police Academies throughout New Jersey 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 Brian W. Smith, 26 Kensington Road, Bedminster, NJ 07921 be hereby appointed to the position of probationary Police Officer for the Township of Bedminster at the starting salary of \$47,747.24, effective July 1, 2019.

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

ATTEST: BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE:

BY: _____
Judith A. Sullivan, RMC
Township Clerk

BY: _____
Lawrence F. Jacobs, 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 July 1, 2019.

Judith A. Sullivan, RMC, Township Clerk

Introduced	Seconded	Township Committee	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
		Lawrence F. Jacobs, Mayor				
		Staci Santucci				
		Douglas A. Stevinson				
		R. Colin Hickey				
		Renee M. Mareski				