

ORDINANCE NO. 3-2011

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF NORTHFIELD TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT TO SHARE A POLICE CHIEF/SHARE POLICE CHIEF SERVICES WITH THE CITY OF LINWOOD

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Northfield has determined that sharing a police chief/sharing police chief services with the City of Linwood will provide for a more effective and efficient administration and provision of public safety and police protection services at a significant savings for the residents of the City of Northfield; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Northfield has determined that sharing a police chief/sharing police chief services will enhance the efficiency and operation of its police department at a significant savings for the residents of the City of Northfield; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Northfield has determined it to be in the best interests of the residents of the City of Northfield to share a police chief/share police chief services with the City of Linwood; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40A:65-4, *et seq.* provides, in pertinent part,

Any local unit may enter into an agreement with any other local unit or units to provide or receive any service that each local unit participating in the agreement is empowered to provide or receive within its own jurisdiction, including services incidental to the primary purposes of any of the participating local units. N.J.S.A. 40A:65-4.a(1);

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Northfield in the County of Atlantic and State of New Jersey, and as authorized by N.J.S.A. 40A:65-4, *et seq.*, as follows:

1. The Council of the City of Northfield hereby incorporates the above recitals as findings of fact.
2. The Council of the City of Northfield hereby approves the terms of the Agreement between the City of Northfield and the City of Linwood to Share a Police Chief/Share Police Chief Services, which includes an

Indemnification Agreement in favor of Northfield, attached hereto as **Exhibit “A”**, and authorizes the Mayor of the City of Northfield to execute said Agreements.

3. This ordinance shall take effect upon final adoption and publication as prescribed by law.

Vincent Mazzeo, Mayor

Mary Canesi, Municipal Clerk

The above Ordinance was introduced and passed on its first reading at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Northfield, New Jersey held on April 19, 2011, and will be taken up for a second reading, public hearing and final passage at a meeting of said Council held on May 10, 2011 in Council Chambers, City Hall, Northfield, New Jersey.

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