

RESOLUTION 2023-51

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ABERDEEN
APPOINTING THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL AS A COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE TO
CONDUCT A SPECIAL INVESTIGATION PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A. 40:69A-91**

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:69A-91, the governing body of a municipality organized under the Council-Manager form of government pursuant to the Faulkner Act, N.J.S.A. 40:69A-1 to - 210 (the “Act”), is authorized to appoint committees or commissions of its own members to conduct investigations into the conduct of any officer or department, or any matter relating to the welfare of the municipality, and delegating to such committees or commissions such powers of inquiry as the municipal council may deem necessary; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Aberdeen (the “Township”) is a municipality organized under the Council-Manager form of government of the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council of the Township of Aberdeen (the “Council”) has determined that such an investigation is necessary to investigate concerns regarding the sale or potential sale by Bayshore EMS, Inc. (a/k/a Bayshore EMS successor by merger with South Matawan Township First Aid Squad, Inc.) to the Aberdeen Police Benevolent Association #163 (a/k/a PBA Local 163) of property located at 260 Church St., known as Block 55, Lot 2 on the Tax Map of the Township of Aberdeen, County of Monmouth; and

WHEREAS, the Council wishes to appoint itself as a Committee of the Whole to conduct said special investigation, pursuant to the authority granted by applicable New Jersey statutes, including but not limited to N.J.S.A. 40:69A-91, and to exercise all powers authorized by state and local law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Aberdeen (the “Council”):

1. The Council hereby appoints itself as a Committee of the Whole to conduct a special investigation, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:69A-91, of the sale or potential sale of property located at 260 Church St., known as Block 55, Lot 2 on the Tax Map of the Township of Aberdeen, County of Monmouth, by Bayshore EMS, Inc. (a/k/a Bayshore EMS successor by merger with South Matawan Township First Aid Squad, Inc.) to the Aberdeen Police Benevolent Association #163 (a/k/a PBA Local 163).
2. The Council as the Committee of the Whole shall have all necessary powers and authority authorized by state and local law to conduct the investigation, including the power to subpoena witnesses and documents, and to take such other actions as are necessary to fulfill its investigative duties.
3. The Council shall report the results of the investigation to the public, and shall take any necessary action based on its findings.

4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Ayes: Councilmembers Cannon, Hirsch, Montone, Swindle, Mayor Tagliarini

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Councilman Martucci, Deputy Mayor Kelley

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy
of a Resolution adopted by the Township
Council of the Township of Aberdeen on March 16, 2023

Melissa Pfeifer

Melissa Pfeifer, Township Clerk