**RESOLUTION NO. 2016-12.10**

**OF THE GOVERNING BODY**

**OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

***“A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER***

***2016 YEAR END HOLIDAY CRACKDOWN***

WHEREAS, impaired drivers on our nation’s roads kill more than 10,000 people each year and cost our society more than $37 billion annually; crashes cost the United States almost $50 billion annually; and

WHEREAS, 29% of motor vehicle fatalities in New Jersey in 2014 were alcohol-related; and

WHEREAS, an enforcement crackdown is planned to combat impaired driving; and

WHREAS, the season at the end of the year is traditionally a time of social gatherings which include alcohol; and

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey, Division of Highway Traffic Safety, has asked law enforcement agencies throughout the state to participate in the ***Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over*** Year End Crackdown; and

WHEREAS, the project will involve increased impaired driving enforcement from December 9, 2016 through January 1, 2017; and

WHEREAS, an increase in impaired driving enforcement and a reduction in impaired driving will save lives on our roadways;

NOW,THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale declares it’s support for the ***Drive Sober or Get Pulled*** ***Over*** 2016 Year End Crackdown from December 9, 2016 through January 1, 2017 and pledges to increase awareness of the dangers of drinking and driving.

## Record of Council Vote on Passage

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| Councilman | aye | nay | Abstain | Absent | Councilman | aye | nay | Abstain | Absent |
| Sondermeyer |  |  |  | X | Dellaripa | X |  |  |  |
| D’Amato | X |  |  |  | Costa | X |  |  |  |
| Hudson | X |  |  |  | Yazdi | X |  |  |  |

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Governing Body of the Borough of Bloomingdale at an Official Meeting held on Tuesday, December 20, 2016.

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Jane McCarthy, R.M.C.

Municipal Clerk, Borough of Bloomingdale