**RESOLUTION # -**

**OF THE GOVERNING BODY**

**OF THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE**

***authorizing participation by THE BOROUGH OF BLOOMINGDALE in the north jersey health insurance fund employee wellness program***

 **WHEREAS**, the Borough of Bloomingdale is a member of the North Jersey Health Insurance Fund; and

 **WHEREAS**, the North Jersey Health Insurance Fund is establishing an employee wellness program for its member municipalities, known as the North Jersey Health Insurance Fund Employee Wellness Program; and

 **WHEREAS**, the purpose of the employee wellness program is to encourage healthier lifestyle choices for employees, improve employees’ knowledge regarding health, and improve the overall health of employees of the member municipalities; and

 **WHEREAS**, the employee wellness program will proceed in Phase I for 2017 and Phase II for 2018 as detailed in the Wellness Program Announcement Letter and Employee Wellness Agreement, appended hereto; and

 **WHEREAS**, the Borough of Bloomingdale supports the purposes of the employee wellness program and seeks to participate in the program to support the good health of its employees; and

 **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Bloomingdale, County of Passaic and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Borough of Bloomingdale is hereby authorized to participate in the North Jersey Health Insurance Fund Employee Wellness Program.
2. The Borough of Bloomingdale Administration is hereby authorized to take any necessary actions to facilitate participation in the Employee Wellness Program, including, but not limited to, requiring participating employees to review and execute the Wellness Program Announcement Letter and Employee Wellness Agreement. The Borough of Bloomingdale shall take all necessary actions immediately to implement the Employee Wellness Program.
3. A copy of the Wellness Program Announcement Letter and Employee Wellness Agreement is attached and incorporated hereto.
4. The Borough of Bloomingdale acknowledges and agrees that in Phase I, ending December 31, 2017, that there will be no cost to the Borough of Bloomingdale, but that beginning January 1, 2018, Phase II will implement and that this Phase II will require the Borough of Bloomingdale to commit to and provide a $250 incentive for each participating employee. This $250 incentive will be at the sole cost and responsibility of the Borough of Bloomingdale.
5. A copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Bloomingdale..

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

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[Municipal Clerk] [Mayor]