



**RESOLUTION NO. 2014-R-**

***FY 2014 SAFER GRANT***

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) offers a number of grant opportunities including, but not limited to, Assistance to Firefighters Grants (AFG), Fire Prevention and Safety for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER); and

**WHEREAS**, in the summer of 2013 the Board of Supervisors authorized Township Staff to submit an application for a SAFER grant under this program to fund the hiring of two (2) full-time and twelve (12) part-time firefighters; and

**WHEREAS**, after careful consideration, FEMA determined that the grant application was consistent with the grant program's purpose and worthy of a grant in the amount of \$487,200, which will cover 100% of the salary and benefits for these new firefighters for a two (2) year period; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township's match is to retain these positions for a third year;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Supervisors of Warrington Township that it hereby authorizes the Township to accept the FY 2014 SAFER Grant in the amount of \$487,200.

**RESOLVED**, this                    day of                    , 2014.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF WARRINGTON TOWNSHIP**

**ATTEST:**

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**Timothy J. Tieperman**  
Township Manager

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**Gerald B. Anderson, Chairperson**

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**John R. Paul, Vice Chairman**

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**Marianne Achenbach, Secretary-Treasurer**

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**Matthew W. Hallowell, Sr., Member**

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**Shirley A. Yannich, Member**