

## RESOLUTION

Appointment of G. Burton German Jr. to Commissioner Emeritus

**WHEREAS**, G. Burton German will retire on April 12, 2018 after serving the Merchantville-Pennsauken Water Commission for forty-two years and

WHEREAS, prior to his appointment in July 1976, Commissioner German serviced with distinction, inter alia, as the Mayor of the Borough of Merchantville, as Town Council Member of the Borough of Merchantville, and as Chief of the Niagara Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner German brought to the MPWC a style of leadership that focused on the financial and fiscal affairs while creating an environment in which his employees and fellow Commissioners always felt valued and respected and cultivated; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner German always enhanced the integrity of the MPWC through his leadership and management; and

WHEREAS, under the guidance of Commissioner German, the MPWC transformed into a modern and well managed water utility; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his responsibilities, Commissioner German was always actively involved in and controlled the finances of the Commissioner as the Treasurer; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure, Commissioner German guided the unprecedented development of the MPWC water system, operations and its management; and

WHEREAS, G. Burton German has, during all of his forty-one plus years, always been the consummate dedicated Commissioner and friend to all dedicated to the Commission; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Commissioners of the Merchantville-Pennsauken Water Commission hereby extends its utmost appreciation to G. Burton German for his leadership and outstanding service to Merchantville Borough, and extends its sincere and heartfelt best wishes for much happiness and success to him and his family in his retirement, and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Commission confers upon G. Burton German, the title Commissioner Emeritus of the Merchantville-Pennsauken Water Commission, with all the privileges pertaining thereto, effective April 12, 2018.

Joseph C. Scavuzzo, President