

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT  
OLIVE AUTHORIZING THE USE OF THE 2014 DRIVE SOBER OR GET  
PULLED OVER LABOR DAY CRACKDOWN GRANT**

**WHEREAS**, impaired drivers on our nation's roads kill someone every 30 minutes, 50 people per day, and almost 18,000 people each year; and 19% of motor vehicle fatalities in New Jersey in 2012 were alcohol-related; and an enforcement crackdown is planned to combat impaired driving; and

**WHEREAS**, the summer season and the Labor Day holiday in particular are traditionally times of social gatherings which include alcohol; and 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 2014 Labor Day Crackdown; and

**WHEREAS**, the project will involve increased impaired driving enforcement from August 15 through September 1, 2014; and an increase in impaired driving enforcement and a reduction in impaired driving will save lives on our roadways;

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Mount Olive seeks to utilize grant funding with the New Jersey Division of Highway Traffic Safety for a reimbursement grant for the 2014 Driver Sober or Get Pulled Over, Labor Day Statewide Crackdown Grant and;

**WHEREAS**, the Mount Olive Township Police Department was in receipt of a July, 2014 letter from the New Jersey Division of Highway Traffic Safety which indicates that the grant will reimburse the Township at \$50 per hour of overtime, for 100 hours of overtime, to a maximum of \$5,000; where these supplemental police patrols will be scheduled between the dates of August 15, 2014 and September 1, 2014.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive approve the use of the grant funding for the purposes raising awareness about the dangers of drinking and driving, to offer deterrence through visible enforcement, to arrest impaired drivers, and to issue summonses for relevant motor vehicle violations.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

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John Mania, Council President

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a resolution adopted by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on August 19, 2014.

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Lisa Lashway, Township Clerk