

**BOROUGH OF MENDHAM
MORRIS COUNTY, NEW JERSEY**

RESOLUTION #140-2026

**RESOLUTION APPOINTING A CLASS III SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER (SLEO)
IN THE MENDHAM BOROUGH POLICE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.10, any local unit may, as it deems necessary, appoint special law enforcement officers sufficient to perform the duties and responsibilities as permitted by local ordinance or resolution, as appropriate, and as permitted by N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.8 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, there exists a need to fill a Class III Special Law Enforcement Officer position in the Mendham Borough Police Department (the "Department"); and

WHEREAS, Police Director William Craig and Officer-in-Charge Acting Captain Patrick McNichol have determined that Edward Garcia possesses the necessary qualifications to serve as a Class III Special Law Enforcement Officer and have recommended, with the concurrence of the Borough's Safety Committee, Personnel Committee and Administrator, that Edward Garcia be appointed as a Class III Special Law Enforcement Officer to perform such duties and responsibilities as set forth in the Shared Services Agreement between the Borough and the West Morris Regional High School District Board of Education for the 2026-2027 school year, effective August 12, 2026 at a pay rate of \$40.00 per hour.

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

1. Edward Garcia is hereby appointed as a Class III Special Law Enforcement Officer in the Borough of Mendham Police Department.
2. Officer Garcia shall perform such duties and responsibilities as set forth in the Shared Services Agreement between the Borough of Mendham and the West Morris Regional high School District Board of Education for the 2026-2027 school year ("Agreement"), effective July 1, 2026 at a pay rate of \$40.00 per hour.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Dated: August 12, 2026

Attest:

BOROUGH OF MENDHAM

Lauren McBride, Borough Clerk

James R. Kelly, Mayor

