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RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT ARLINGTON, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, SUPPORTING BOROUGH PARTICIPATION IN THE G.I. GO JEANS FOR TROOPS DAY TO HONOR VETERAN'S DAY

WHEREAS, the GI Go Fund Executive Director Jack Fanous has asked New Jersey municipalities to support fundraising efforts for our returning veterans and homeless, unemployed, college-bound veterans; and,

WHEREAS, this annual Jeans For Troops Fundraising Drive will support the thousands of veterans returning home from Iraq and Afghanistan and Veterans affected by Hurricane Sandy; and

WHEREAS, the G.I. Go Fund engages in statewide veterans assistance activities in addition to operating a veterans service office in Newark City Hall, and sponsored by the New Jersey Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, the 2016 G.I. Go Jeans For Troops Day will be held on Monday, November 7, 2016, to honor Veteran's Day, and public and private employers are urged to contribute to an organization that helps returning soldiers find jobs, go to college, find housing and get health care, and in return, wear comfortable jeans to work that day.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, County of Morris, State of New Jersey hereby fully support the G.I. Go Jeans For Troops Fundraising efforts and will donate **$500.00** on behalf of the Borough to promote November 7, 2016 as G.I. Go Jeans For Troops Day in Mount Arlington to honor Veteran's Day.

I HEREBY CERTIFY this to be a true and correct Resolution of the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, and adopted on October 4, 2016.

Linda DeSantis, RMC
Borough Clerk