RESOLUTION 2019 – 191

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT ARLINGTON, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY APPOINTING MATTHEW FORTUNATO AS POLICE SERGEANT OF THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT ARLINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, the Borough of Mount Arlington Police Department is desirous of appointing a Police Sergeant who fulfills the requirements of section § 4-14 Police Department set forth at length below.

§ 4-14. Police Department.

- M. Promotional process for Sergeant and Lieutenant. The following criteria shall be used to determine eligibility for promotion to the rank of Sergeant and Lieutenant:
 - (1) Sergeant: Must have a minimum of five (5) years experience, including probation, as a Police Training Commission certified police officer. All candidates must have an associate's degree or at least sixty (60) credits from an accredited four (4) year college or university with a concentration in police science, public safety administration, political science, criminal justice or a related field required to be completed by December 31, 2017.
 - (2) Lieutenant: Must have obtained rank of Sergeant. All candidates must have an associate's degree or at least sixty (60) credits from an accredited four (4) year college or university with a concentration in police science, public safety administration, political science, criminal justice, or a related field. Bachelor's degree preferred.

A potential Sergeant and Lieutenant candidate's years of service and/or years in present rank for eligibility purposes must be met as of the date of the notice of a promotional examination is posted. There shall be no exception to this requirement.

All promotions to Sergeant and Lieutenant shall be made from the membership of the Borough of Mount Arlington Police Department, provided that the candidate meets the eligibility requirements of this section and successfully completes the examination process as contained herein.

Sergeant and Lieutenant promotional process: At least forty-five (45) days prior to the date an oral question and answer examination is scheduled, a notice shall be posted at the Police Department that will set forth the following:

- (a) The position available through promotion.
- (b) The date the examination will be conducted.
- (c) The location of the examination.
- (d) The time the examination will begin.
- (e) A list of study materials.

Furthermore, the promotional process shall adhere to all requirements as set forth in the Borough of Mount Arlington Police Policies and Procedures Promotional Process (Volume I and Chapter 5)

WHEREAS, Matthew Fortunato fulfilled all of the requirements set forth in the Borough of Mount Arlington Code § 4-14 Police Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, County of Morris, State of New Jersey that Matthew Fortunato shall be appointed to the position of Police Sergeant, effective December 17, 2019, at an annual salary of \$121,859.00 in accordance with the 2016 - 2019 Agreement between the Borough of Mount Arlington and the Mount Arlington Fraternal Order of Police.

| I HEREBY CERTIFY this to be a true and correct Resolution of the Mayor and Borough Council of the | e |
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| Borough of Mount Arlington and adopted on December 17, 2019. | |
| L. Dwyer Date Acting Borough Clerk | |