Mayor and Common Council

38 Park Avenue Flemington, NJ 08822

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RESOLUTION 2021-22

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Department: Clerk of the Borough
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Adopting a Public Commenting Policy for Remote/ Electronic Borough Council Meetings

WHEREAS, <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 5:39-1.4(h) requires public bodies to "adopt by resolution standard procedures and requirements for public comment made during a remote public meeting as well as for public comments submitted in writing ahead of the remote public meeting;" and,

WHEREAS, attached hereto is a compliant commenting policy for the Council of the Borough of Flemington; and

WHEREAS, such policy reflects the commenting policies already informally implemented by the Borough Council for remote meetings held during and as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Borough of Flemington hereby adopts the attached commenting policy, which shall be applicable to all public comments made at or submitted prior to meetings of the Council of the Borough of Flemington which are held remotely by electronic means.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that such commenting policy may be amended in the future by resolution of the Borough Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Borough Clerk shall post such commenting policy on the municipal website and otherwise make such policy available for public inspection.

Adopted: January 4, 2021 Attest:		
	Betsy Driver, Mayor	
Sallie Graziano, Borough Clerk		

ATTACHMENTS:

• Electronic / Remote Meeting Commenting Policy 2021