RESOLUTION 1-2012-19

JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE CREATION OF THE BEAVER BROOK REGIONAL FIRE ALLIANCE BETWEEN THE MUNICIPALITIES OF BARRINGTON, BELLMAWR, RUNNEMEDE AND HADDON HEIGHTS

Whereas, the Boroughs of Barrington, Bellmawr, Runnemede and Haddon Heights are protected by Municipal Fire Departments in each municipality; and

Whereas, the Barrington, Bellmawr, Runnemede and Haddon Heights Fire Departments adequately respond first to fire and emergency calls within the three communities utilizing a mutual aid response; and

Whereas, the four fire departments operate under one operational guideline and train its staff at the same minimum level; and

Whereas, the four fire departments now wish to share their manpower, equipment and apparatus within one organized alliance; and

Whereas, the four municipal fire departments are insured through the Camden County Joint Insurance Fund, which covers Auto, Worker's Compensation, General/Professional Liability, Property/Equipment, etc; and

Whereas, the Governing Bodies of Barrington, Bellmawr, Runnemede and Haddon Heights have consented, and by this Joint Resolution do consent to, create the Beaver Brook Regional Fire Alliance serving as the consortium of the four municipal fire departments to provide fire and emergency services within the jurisdiction of the four municipalities; and

Whereas, each of the aforesaid fire departments have urged the adoption of this Resolution;

Now, therefore, be it resolved, by Joint Resolution of the Governing Body of the Boroughs of Barrington, Bellmawr, Runnemede and Haddon Heights the Beaver Brook Regional Fire Alliance is hereby created.

Attest:

BOROUGH OF BARRINGTON January 19, 2012

Robert Klaus, Mayor

By: _

Terry Shannon, Clerk/RMC