

**ATLANTIC COUNTY MUNICIPAL JOINT INSURANCE FUND**

RESOLUTION 2024 - 06

APPOINTING JOSEPH M. NARDI, III, ESQUIRE AS CONFLICT SOLICITOR

**Whereas**, the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund has been organized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:10-36 et seq.; and

**Whereas**, the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund is duly constituted as a Municipal Self Insurance Fund and is subject to certain requirements of the Local Public Contracts Law; and

**Whereas**, the Commissioners of the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund find that it is necessary and appropriate to appoint a Conflict Solicitor in the event the Fund solicitor must disqualify himself in connection with any matter as a result of a conflict of interest; and

**Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved**, by the Commissioners of the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund assembled in a public session on January 17, 2024, that Joseph M. Nardi, Esquire, is hereby appointed as the Conflict Solicitor; and

**Be It Further Resolved**, that the Commissioners of the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund find and determine that the appointment herein specified requires either professional services for which the individual designated is licensed to practice a profession or for extraordinary and unspecifiable services that cannot be adequately described in specifications that would make solicitations of bids for those services meaningful or advisable; and

**Be It Further Resolved**, that assignment of specific claims for defence shall be made by the Conflict Solicitor only when the Fund Solicitor has a conflict of interest; and

**Be It Further Resolved**, that the Conflict Solicitor shall supervise and coordinate the defence of specific claims matters in cooperation with the Claims Administrator and in accordance with the policies determined by the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund; and

**Be It Further Resolved**, that the hourly rate for conflict files shall be one-hundred and seventy three dollars (\$173) per hour and that such amounts shall include all ordinary and routine copying and telephone expenses of the firm rendering services; and

**Be It Further Resolved**, that the Commissioners of the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund retain the right to disapprove any and all charges of the Conflict Attorney's submitted legal bills if the Commissioners find the fee is unwarranted; and

**Be It Further Resolved**, that copies of this Resolution shall be provided to the Administrator, Solicitor, and Claims Administrator and Conflict Solicitor of the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund and those herein appointed for their information and attention, and

**Be It Further Resolved**, that notice of this appointment for professional or extraordinary and unspecifiable services shall be published as required by law.

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This resolution was duly adopted by the Atlantic County Municipal Joint Insurance Fund at a public meeting held on January 17, 2024.

BY: *Gabriel Woods* ATTEST: *Jessie Berg*  
CHAIRPERSON SECRETARY  
DATE: 1-17-2024