

**TOWNSHIP OF UPPER DEERFIELD**

**RESOLUTION # 11-243**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PARTICIPATION  
IN THE CS REGIONAL MUNICIPAL COURT**

**WHEREAS**, the Township Committee wishes to participate in a joint municipal court with such other municipalities as may be permitted to join as provided in *N.J.S.A. 2B:12-1, et seq.*; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township Committee anticipates that a final agreement shall be ready for signature prior to January 1, 2012; and

**WHEREAS**, Upper Deerfield Township will introduce an ordinance for the creation of, and participation in, a joint municipal court to be designated as the CS Regional Municipal Court; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township Committee has reviewed the proposed agreement for the operation of a joint municipal court and are prepared to enter a memorandum of understanding for the operation of said court, which memorandum of understanding will include but not be limited to the following:

- Percentage responsibilities for shared expenses;
- Salaries and wages;
- Hours of operation;
- Court schedule;
- Administrative fee apportionment;
- Billing;
- Budget; and
- Vacation policy

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Upper Deerfield Township Committee as follows:

1. The Mayor and Clerk are authorized to execute, on behalf of Upper Deerfield Township, the agreement for the operation of a joint municipal court to include such municipal entities as may choose to join and cooperate in said agreement; and
2. The Mayor and Clerk for Upper Deerfield Township are authorized to execute the 2012 Memorandum of Understanding for the CS Regional Municipal Court.

Moved By: John T. O'Neill

Seconded By: Scott Smith

VOTING

James P. Crilley  
 John L. Daddario  
 John T. O'Neill, Sr.  
 Bruce T. Peterson  
 Scott Smith

<u>In Favor</u>	<u>Against</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Absent</u>
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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of Resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield, in the County of Cumberland, at a meeting thereof held October 6, 2011

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Roy J. Spoltore, Township Clerk