

TOWNSHIP OF UPPER DEERFIELD

RESOLUTION 12-80

**RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE REOPENING
OF THE BRIDGETON AREA VEHICLE INSPECTION STATION**

WHEREAS, the New Jersey MVC closed the Bridgeton area Vehicle Inspection Station located in Upper Deerfield Township, New Jersey on April 30, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the residents of the Township of Upper Deerfield and the immediate adjacent communities were thereby required to travel to a more remotely located inspection station in Millville, New Jersey whose ability to manage the increased number of inspections has proven less than effective; and

WHEREAS, the additional round-trip mileage coupled with the ever increasing' cost of fuel is imposing an economic burden on the residents of the Township of Upper Deerfield and the immediate adjacent communities; and

WHEREAS, the Millville Vehicle Inspection station has been shown to experience problematic inspections and equipment problems that have resulted in lengthy delays and wait times;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield strongly urges the Governor of the State of New Jersey and the Chief Administrator of the Motor Vehicle Commission to consider reopening the Bridgeton area Vehicle Inspection Station located in Upper Deerfield Township, New Jersey and that our district legislators take such measures as may be reasonably necessary to champion this request for the residents of the western part of Cumberland County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield that a copy of this resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Chris Christie, Governor, all members of the Motor Vehicle Commission, and the State of New Jersey 3rd District legislators. -

Moved By: Bruce Peterson

Seconded By: John O'Neill

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 March 15, 2012.

Roy J. Spoltore, Township Clerk