

TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE
RESOLUTION 2026-R-75

AUTHORIZE READING BUDGET

BY TITLE ONLY

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A 40A:4-8, as amended by L. 2015, c. 95, 14, 2015, provides that the Budget may be read by title only at the time of the Public Hearing if a Resolution is passed by not less than a majority of the full Governing Body, providing that at least one week prior to the date of hearing, a complete copy of the Budget has been made available for public inspection, and has been made available to each person upon request; and

WHEREAS, these two conditions have been met;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Budget shall be read by title only.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Township Council at a meeting held April 16, 2026.

Andrea T. McVeigh, RMC

DATE: April 16, 2026

COUNCIL	MOTION	SECOND	AYES	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Kauffman	x		x			
Nunes		x	x			
Simonsick			x			
Zahradnick			x			
Talarico			x			

TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE
RESOLUTION 2026-R-76

APPOINT JAMES NEGRI AS CLASS I SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

WHEREAS, the Township has a need for a Class I Special Law Enforcement Officer; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has recommended James Negri for this position and, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:14-146.10(e), has certified as to the eligibility and qualifications of this candidate.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade, County of Burlington as follows:

1. James Negri is hereby appointed as a Class I Special Law Enforcement Officer of the Maple Shade Police Department commencing May 3, 2026 for a one-year term.
2. Pursuant to Chapter 36 of the Township Code, this appointment is for a part-time position with a maximum of 20 hours of work per week.
3. This appointment is made based on a wage of \$18.00 per hour.

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Zahradnick	x		x			
Talarico			x			

TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE
RESOLUTION 2026-R-78

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE RECOGNIZING NJ LOCAL GOVERNMENT WEEK, APRIL 12TH TO 18TH, 2026, AND ENCOURAGING ALL CITIZENS TO SUPPORT THE CELEBRATION AND CORRESPONDING ACTIVITIES.

WHEREAS, local government is the government closest to most citizens, and the one with the most direct daily impact upon its residents; and

WHEREAS, local government provides services and programs that enhance the quality of life for residents, making their municipality their home; and

WHEREAS, local government is administered for and by its citizens, and is dependent upon public commitment to and understanding of its many responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, local government officials and employees share the responsibility to pass along the understanding of public services and their benefits; and

WHEREAS, NJ Local Government Week offers an important opportunity for elected officials and local government staff to spread the word to all citizens of New Jersey that they can shape and influence this branch of government; and

WHEREAS, the NJ State League of Municipalities and its member municipalities have joined together to teach citizens about municipal government through a variety of activities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade encourages all citizens, local government officials, and employees to participate in events that recognize and celebrate NJ Local Government Week.

Section 2. That the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade encourages educational partnerships between local government and schools, as well as civic groups and other organizations.

Section 3. That the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade supports and encourages all New Jersey local governments to actively promote and sponsor NJ Local Government Week.

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Talarico			x			

**TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE
RESOLUTION 2026-R-79**

**RESOLUTION TO DECLARE BLOCK 140, LOT 11.03 AS TAX EXEMPT
AND TO CANCEL TAXES FROM FEBRUARY 10, 2026 THROUGH
DECEMBER 31, 2026**

WHEREAS, the Tax Assessor, by way of a March 31, 2026 memorandum, has requested that the Township Council cancel and refund the taxes paid from February 10, 2026 through December 31, 2026 for the property known as 477 Buttonwood Avenue, Block 140, Lot 11.03 and declare said property tax exempt as the Township Assessor has determined that the property owner meets the criteria of N.J.S.A. 54:04-3.30 to merit tax exemption as a totally disabled veteran; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council may revise and adjust past due assessments when in error and desires to act favorably with respect to the aforementioned recommendation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. That the Township Council, for the aforementioned reasons, hereby cancels and refunds the municipal portion of real property taxes paid from February 10, 2026 through December 31, 2026 for Block 140, Lot 11.03 in the manner and in the amounts set forth by the Tax Collector

2. That the Township Council hereby declares Block 140, Lot 11.03 tax exempt pursuant to N.J.S.A. 54:4-3.30 based on the proof submitted that the property owner is a totally disabled veteran.

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Simonsick			x				
Zahradnick	x		x				
Talarico			x				

**TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE
RESOLUTION 2026-R-80**

**RESOLUTION TO DECLARE BLOCK 43, LOT 3 AS TAX EXEMPT AND
TO CANCEL TAXES FROM MARCH 17, 2026 THROUGH
DECEMBER 31, 2026**

WHEREAS, the Tax Assessor, by way of a March 23, 2026 memorandum, has requested that the Township Council cancel and refund the taxes paid from March 17, 2026 through December 31, 2026 for the property known as 447 North Forklanding Road, Block 43, Lot 3 and declare said property tax exempt as the Township Assessor has determined that the property owner meets the criteria of N.J.S.A. 54:04-3.30 to merit tax exemption as a totally disabled veteran; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council may revise and adjust past due assessments when in error and desires to act favorably with respect to the aforementioned recommendation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. That the Township Council, for the aforementioned reasons, hereby cancels and refunds the municipal portion of real property taxes paid from March 17, 2026 through December 31, 2026 for Block 43, Lot 3 in the manner and in the amounts set forth by the Tax Collector
2. That the Township Council hereby declares Block 43, Lot 3 tax exempt pursuant to N.J.S.A. 54:4-3.30 based on the proof submitted that the property owner is a totally disabled veteran.

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TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE
RESOLUTION 2026-R-81

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
MAPLE SHADE RESCINDING RESOLUTION 2025-R-199 AND
RESOLUTION 2025-R-124 FOR HIGH PROFILE MAPLE SHADE, LLC**

WHEREAS, on July 18, 2024, the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade adopted Resolution 2024-R-130 expressing support for an application for a Class 5 Cannabis Retail Facility for High Profile Cannabis Shop Maple Shade, LLC; and

WHEREAS, on November 20, 2025, the Township Council adopted Resolution 2025-R-199 affirming support for the state license application of High Profile Maple Shade, LLC and confirming the suitability of the proposed location in accordance with applicable State regulations; and

WHEREAS, on June 26, 2025, the Township Council adopted Resolution 2025-R-124 granting a one (1) year extension of prior support to allow the Applicant additional time to satisfy land use conditions and licensing requirements ; and

WHEREAS, High Profile Maple Shade, LLC subsequently submitted applications and materials for local land use approvals, including a proposed location at 446 Route 38, Maple Shade, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, by correspondence dated March 30, 2026, the Applicant, through its legal counsel, formally withdrew its application before the Maple Shade Zoning Board of Adjustment and requested closure of its file ; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the Applicant's voluntary withdrawal of its application, the basis for the Township's prior Resolutions of Support and extension no longer exists; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council finds it appropriate and in the best interest of the Township to formally rescind its prior Resolutions of Support and extension associated with this application.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, that:

1. Resolution 2025-R-199, supporting the state license application for High Profile Maple Shade, LLC, is hereby rescinded in its entirety; and
2. Resolution 2025-R-124, granting a one (1) year extension of prior support for High Profile Maple Shade, LLC, is hereby rescinded in its entirety; and

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3. The Township Clerk is directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Applicant, its legal counsel, and any appropriate State agencies, including the New Jersey Cannabis Regulatory Commission, for their records.

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TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE

RESOLUTION 2026-R-82

AUTHORIZE ROAD CLOSINGS FOR MUNICIPAL EVENTS

WHEREAS, the Township has scheduled municipal events for 2026 which require closing certain portions of Main Street, the dates and times of such events and the portion of Main Street to be closed being set forth on attached Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, Title 39 provides that the Township may provide, by resolution, for a temporary road closure; and

WHEREAS, the Township Manager and the Traffic Safety Officer of the Township Police Department have reviewed the proposed closures and recommend approval.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade, in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey, as follows:

That the Township Council, for the aforementioned reasons, hereby directs that Main Street be closed to vehicular traffic in the areas so identified at the dates and times set forth on attached Exhibit A.

That the Township Council hereby declares that this resolution shall take effect upon approval by the County of Burlington.

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**TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE
RESOLUTION 2026-R-83**

AMENDING RESOLUTION 2026-R-46 AUTHORIZING THE USE OF THE MUNICIPAL LOT, GAZEBO PARK AND TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURE FOR THE 2026 FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL HOSTED BY MAIN STREET MAPLE SHADE, INC. TO INCLUDE A RAIN DATE

WHEREAS, the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade previously adopted Resolution 2026-R-46 authorizing Main Street Maple Shade, Inc. to utilize the municipal parking lot between North Forklanding Road and North Lippincott Avenue adjacent to Brubaker Lane (the “Acme Lot”), Gazebo Park, and certain street closures on June 8, 2026 for a Food Truck Festival and Craft and Vendor Event; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to establish a rain date to ensure the success of the event in the event of inclement weather; and

WHEREAS, Main Street Maple Shade, Inc. has requested that Monday, June 15, 2026 serve as the designated rain date under the same terms and conditions as previously approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Maple Shade, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, that Resolution 2026-R-46 is hereby amended as follows:

1. Main Street Maple Shade, Inc. is hereby authorized to utilize Monday, June 15, 2026 as a rain date for the Food Truck Festival and Craft and Vendor Event, to be held from 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.;
2. The municipal parking lot known as the “Acme Lot” shall be closed to vehicles from 12:01 a.m. to 11:59 p.m. on June 15, 2026, if the rain date is utilized;
3. Wallace Avenue shall be closed to traffic from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on June 15, 2026, if the rain date is utilized;
4. Main Street Maple Shade, Inc. shall remain responsible for the total cost of off-duty police officers as outlined in Resolution 2026-R-46 for the rain date event;
5. All other terms and conditions of Resolution 2026-R-46 shall remain in full force and effect.

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