

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Woodbridge is embracing the creative placemaking process and crafting a plan for remaking the township creatively in another step towards building a more sustainable community; and

WHEREAS, Woodbridge's goals in pursuing creative placemaking are to, ultimately, enhance the quality of life for as many residents as possible, enhance economic opportunity and prosperity for as many people as possible, and enhance the climate for individual creativity and collective cultural expression; and

WHEREAS, creative placemaking involves setting a new vision for Woodbridge that embraces the creative process at all levels; recognizing that the creative process doesn't just relate to the entertainment realm but contributes to problem resolution and is the source of innovation in local industry, business and academics. Creative placemaking involves a collaborative rethinking of community and economic development planning that is as much a rethinking of who is involved in the planning process as it is a reworking of the process itself; and

WHEREAS, this Board has received from the Township of Woodbridge a plan entitled "Woodbridge Township Creative Placemaking Plan", dated August 2016, prepared by Sara J. Malone, MES and Karen Lowrie, Ph.D. of the Environmental Analysis and Communications Group Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, a copy of said Creative Placemaking Plan, August 2016, is in the form substantially similar to that annexed hereto.

WHEREAS, this Board has reviewed and accepted same.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Woodbridge Township Planning Board on this 7th day of September 2016, that the document entitled "Woodbridge Township Creative Placemaking Plan" be and is hereby accepted.

ACCEPTED: September 7, 2016

I hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of the Resolution accepted by the Woodbridge Township Planning Board at their regularly scheduled meeting held on September 7, 2016.



Heather LaMotta, Board Secretary
Planning Board
Township of Woodbridge

Roll Call

Mr. Paone	Yes [1]
Mr. Bujalski	Yes
Ms. Drumm	Yes
Mr. St. Marie	Yes [2]
Mr. Sharkey	Yes
Mr. Zollo	Yes
Mr. Burke	Yes
Chairman Miller	Yes