R# 242-12

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR

TO SIGN THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

WITH CWA LOCAL 1034 – BLUE COLLAR

WHEREAS, recommended and approved ratifications were made to the CWA Local 1034 as detailed in the Memorandum of Agreement attached hereto and made part of this resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Union and the City agrees to these changes.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Long Branch hereby authorizing the Mayor to sign the Memorandum of Agreement attached hereto.

MOVED: Pallone

SECONDED: Sicianni

AYES: 3

NAYES: O

ABSENT: Celli, Bastelli

ABSTAIN: O

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH
CITY OF LONG BRANCH

I, KATHY L. SCHMELZ, MUNICIPAL CLERK OF THE CITY OF
LONG BRANCH, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING
TO DE A TRUE, COMPLETE AND CORRECT COPY OF
RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT
REGULAR MEETING HELD ON TO CONTROL OF

IN WITHESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET
MY HAND AND AFFIKED THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE
CITY OF LONG BRANCH, MOUNOUTH COUNTY, NEW
JERSET WITS OF DAY OF 20

. MUCICIPAL CLERK, R.M. CO

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

The City of Long Branch ("City") and CWA Local 103 (Blue Collar) ("CWA"), hereby agree to this Memorandum of Agreement with respect to a collective bargaining agreement between the parties. The parties hereby agree to abrogate their current Collective Bargaining Agreement, and the new Collective Bargaining Agreement to be created by the parties shall supersede the parties' current Collective Bargaining Agreement. This Agreement is subject to ratification of the parties (the full membership of the CWA and the Long Branch City Council). The parties agree to recommend ratification of this Agreement to their respective membership (the City Council and CWA members, respectively).

- 1. <u>Term.</u> January 1, 2012 through December 31, 2014. Make the appropriate date changes throughout the Collective Bargaining Agreement.
- 2. <u>Article IX, Section 1</u>: Delete "Lincoln's Birthday" on the list of holidays. Delete the parenthetical after "Christmas Eve" on the list of holidays. Add a new Section 8: "An employee who returns to work from a work-related injury and is required by the City's worker's compensation carrier to attend therapy on normal work hours for said work-related injury will be permitted to do so by the City.
- 3. Article VII(A) Salary: Change the years to 2012, 2013, and 2014. Insert 2% for each of those three years. Add the following language: "For each of these three years of this Collective Bargaining Agreement, each employee who is 'off guide' (that is, is not receiving a

step increase and thus not advancing from one step to another on the salary guide), shall receive an annual payment of \$250. This payment will not be added to the Employee's base salary for any purposes and will be subject to all legally required deductions. The parties agree that this payment will terminate in any year in which the statutory required contribution for health insurance has been eliminated".

CITY OF LONG BRANCH

By:

Dated:

CWA LOCAL 1034

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