New Jersey Public Employment Relations Commission <u>POLICE AND FIRE</u>

COLLECTIVE NEGOTIATIONS AGREEMENT SUMMARY FORM

Line #	
	SECTION I: Parties and Term of Contracts
1	Public Employer: Union County County: Union
2	Employee Organization: PBA Local 73A SOA Number of Employees in Unit: 19
3	Base Year Contract Term: 1/1/2021-12/31/2021
4	New Contract Term: 1/1/2022-12/31/2024
	SECTION II: Type of Contract Settlement (please check only one)
5	Contract settled without neutral assistance
6	Contract settled with assistance of mediator
7	Contract settled with assistance of fact-finder
8	Contract settled in Interest Arbitration
9	If contract was settled in Interest Arbitration, did the Arbitrator issue an Award? Yes No
	SECTION III: Base Salary Calculation SEE MOA ATTACHED SECTION III: Base Salary Calculation
	The "base year" refers to the final year of the expiring or expired agreement.
	N.J.S.A. 34:13A-16.7(a) defines base salary as follows: "Base salary' means the salary provided pursuant to a salary guide or table and any amount provided pursuant to a salary increment, including any amount for longevity or length of service. It shall also include any other item agreed to by the parties, or any other item that was included in the base salary as understood by the parties in the prior contract. Base salary shall not include non-salary economic issues, pension and health and medical insurance costs."
10	Salary Costs in base year
11	Longevity Costs in base year \$
12	Other base year salary costs
	<u>\$</u>
	<u>\$</u>
	\$
	\$
	Sum of "Other" Costs Listed in Line 12.
13	Total Base Salary Cost: (sum of lines 10, 11, 12):

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	SECTION IV: Increase in Base Salary Cost (for each year of New CNA)						
L4	Total Base Salary Cost fro	om Line 13:	\$				
	Increases	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
15	Effective Date (month/day/year)						
16	Cost of Salary Increments (\$)						
17	Salary Increase Above Increments (\$)						
18	Longevity Increase (\$)						
19	Total Increased Cost for "Other" Items (\$)						
20	Total Increase (\$) (sum of lines 16-19)						
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	SECTION V: Average Increase Over Term of New CNA						

21	Dollar Increase Over Life of Contract	\$	[Take sum of all amounts listed on Line 20 above]
22	Percentage Increase Over Life of Contrac	t	[Divide amount on Line 21 by amount on Line 14]
23	Average Percentage Increase Per Year	9	6 [Divide percentage on Line 22 by number of years of
			the contract]

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Employee Organization: PBA Local 73A SOA

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SEE MOA ATTACHED

SECTION VI: Other Economic Items Outside Base Salary and Increases

←Increases→

24	Item Description	Base Year Cost (\$)	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
25	Totals (\$):							

SEE MOA ATTACHED

SECTION VII: Medical Costs

	Insurance Costs	Base Year	Year 1
26	Health Plan Cost	\$	\$
27	Prescription Plan Cost	\$	\$
28	Dental Plan Cost	\$	\$
29	Vision Plan Cost	\$	\$
30	Total Cost of Insurance	Ś	\$

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SECT	ION VII: Medica	al Costs (continued)			SEE MOA AT	
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31	Employee Insu	rance Contributions	\$ \$			
32	Contributions a	as % of Total insurance Cost	%	%		
33	Identify any i	nsurance changes that were	included in this CNA.			
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	SECTION VIIII	Certification and Signatur				
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34	THE UNICESIGN	ica certines that the lorego	onig ngures are true.			
	Print Name:	Vanessa Figueiredo				
		Lobor Polotiona Coardi	inator			
	Position/Title:	Labor Relations Good				
	Signature:	Vienessa Figu	enale			
	Date:	12/7/2022				
						
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	certification fo	orm to: contracts@perc.s	tate.nj.us			
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	NJ Public Empl	oyment Relations Commis	sion			
	Conciliation an	·				
	PO Box 429					
	Trenton, NJ 08	625				
	Phone: 609-29	2-9898			Revised 8/20:	16



UNION COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

RESOLUTION: <u>2021-1006</u>

DECEMBER 16, 2021

CHAIRMAN ALEXANDER MIRABELLA

WHEREAS, the County of Union engaged in collective bargaining negotiations with PBA 73A County Police Superior Officers for the period of January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the County of Union and the negotiating committee for PBA 73A County Police Superior Officers, reached a tentative agreement on December 6, 2021 and the Union ratified the agreement on the same date. Representatives of the Bargaining Committee, and the County agree to recommend, without reservation, the approval of same; and

WHEREAS, the County of Union now desires to confirm the understandings in the Memorandum of Agreement with the Union, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Union County Board of County Commissioners that it hereby authorizes the County Manager to sign any and all documents necessary to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with PBA 73A County Police Superior Officers.

Sufficiency of Funds Authorized ; Subject to Inclusion in the 2022 to 2024 Budgets:

Approved as to Form: Certifying as to an Original Resolution: Certified as to a True Copy:

		-	Yes/Aye	No/Nay	Abstain	Absent
,	Angela R. Garretson		I			
/	Sergio Granados	M	OV.			
☑ Adopted ☐ Adopted as Amended	Christopher Hudak	5	Q,			
	Bette Jane Kowalski		D /			
□ Defeated	Lourdes M. Leon		4 /			
☐ Tabled	Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded		Ġ,			
☐ Withdrawn	Andrea Staten		1			
	Rebecca Lynne Williams		04/			
	Alexander Mirabella		□/			



COUNTY OF UNION

To:

Edward Oatman,

County Manager

From:

Laura M. Scutari

Director, Department of Administrative Services

Date:

December 13, 2021

Re:

PBA73A-County Police Superior Officers

Collective Bargaining Agreement

January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2024

Please be advised that a tentative agreement (attached) was reached with PBA73A-County Police Superior Officers on December 6, 2021 and the union ratified the agreement on December 6, 2021. Please place a Resolution authorizing this agreement on the Commissioners Agenda for December 16, 2021.

Thank you.

Laura M. Scutari. Director,

Department Administrative Services

Cc: Claudia Martins, Director, Division of Personnel

James Pellettiere, Clerk of the Board

Bruce H. Bergen, County Counsel

Bibi Taylor, Director, Department of Finance

Andrew Moran, Director, Public Safety

Chris Debbie, Chief, Division of Police

Kathryn Hatfield, Esq., Hatfield Schwartz LLC

James Mets, Esq., Mets, Schiro & McGovern, LLP

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

PBA73A-COUNTY POLICE SUPERIORS

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COUNTY OF UNION

The County and PBA73A-County Police Superiors engaged in collective bargaining for a new Labor Agreement between the parties to replace the current Agreement which is expiring on December 31, 2021. The County and PBA73A-County Police Superiors have reached a tentative agreement which the parties now desire to confirm in this Memorandum of Agreement.

The tentative Agreement has been ratified by the membership of PBA73A-County Police Superiors and is now subject to the approval of the Union County Board of Chosen Commissioners. The Bargaining Committee of PBA73A-County Police Superiors agree to recommend, without reservation, the approval of the tentative Agreement to the membership of the Union. The representatives of the County agree to recommend, without reservation, the approval of the tentative Agreement to the Union County Board of Chosen Commissioners.

Therefore, the County and PBA73A-County Police Superiors agree to the attached four (4) pages of modifications to the Collective Bargaining Agreement. The parties by their signatures set forth below signify their agreement as to the terms set forth in this Memorandum of Agreement.

December 6, 2021
Date

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

Agreement made this day of December 2021, by and between the County of Union

(herein the "County") and Patrolmen's Benevolent Association, Local 73A (herein the "PBA").

WHEREAS, the County and PBA 73A are parties to a collective negotiations agreement ("CNA") covering the period January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the County and PBA 73A have been engaged in good faith collective negotiations for the purpose of reaching agreement on terms and conditions of employment for a successor CNA; and

WHEREAS, the County and PBA 73A have reached agreement on new terms and conditions subject to ratification by the membership of PBA 73A and approval by the Commissioners of the County; and

WHEREAS, the negotiating committees for the County and PBA 73A unanimously agree to recommend this agreement for ratification and approval;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises, and undertakings herein set forth the parties agree as follows:

1. Except as herein modified, the terms and conditions set forth in the 2021 CNA between the County and PBA 73A shall remain in full force and effect.

2. Article 23, Duration

January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2024

3. Article 4, Salaries

Section 1.	Wage Increase
2022 -	2% across the board
2023 -	2% across the board
2024 -	2% across the board

Amend salary guide.

For 2021 only, employees shall receive a check, to be paid before January 1, 2022, for the difference between what the employee paid in Chapter 78 premium contributions and what the employee would have paid if those contributions were based on 1.5% of salary.

4. Article 6, Vacations

Section 1.: Replace paragraph (b) as follows:

Effective January 1, 2022, employees will be entitled to the following vacation following the first calendar year of employment:

Four/Four Work Schedule

1 to 8 years - 12 workdays

8 to 10 years - 13 workdays

10 to 15 years - 16 workdays

15 to 20 years - 18 workdays

25 to 25 years - 20 workdays

25 or more years - 27 workdays

Four/Three Work Schedule

1 to 8 years – 15 workdays

8 to 10 years - 16 workdays

10 to 15 years - 18 workdays

20 o 20 years - 20 workdays

20 to 25 years - 24 workdays

25 or more years - 31 workdays

Delete paragraph (d) and replace with "Vacation time shall be deducted a day for a day."

A day shall be based on a work day."

5. Article 8, Sick Leave

- 1. Effective 1/1/22, Section 3 shall be modified as follows:
 - -a. Subsection (a): Change 8 hours to 1 workday and 4 hours to 1/2 workday.
- b. Subsection (b): Change 8 hours to 1 workday and 120 hours to 15 workdays.
- c. Subsection (c), replace with: As of 1/1/22, a day of sick time will be based on the number of hours in an officer's shift. (12 hour day = 180 hours or 15 days; 10.5 hour day = 157.5 hours or 15 days). If an officer is transferred from the four/four to the four/three work schedule or vice versa, for a period of 6 months or less, he shall not have his sick time adjusted. If he is transferred for more than 6 months, it shall be adjusted.
- d. New Subsection (g), add: All sick time accumulated prior to 1/1/22 shall be converted to days by dividing the officer's banked hours by 10.75 if on the four and four work schedule and 9.25 hours if on the four and three work schedule. For example, an officer on the four and four work schedule who has 135 hours banked will be converted to 13 days (rounded up from 12.6 days).

6. Article 20, Insurance, Section 3

Effective January 1, 2022, Chapter 78 contributions shall be based on the 2019 premium levels during the term of this contract. Employees shall not be entitled to any retroactive monies if there is a reduction in contribution amounts.

7. Article 22, Miscellaneous

Add Section on Officer in Charge as follows:

An officer who is designated Officer in Charge due to the office of the Chief being vacant, shall be entitled to a 5% differential for the period when acting as Officer in Charge. The differential shall be measured from the highest Captain's salary.

8. Reopener

In the event the County agrees with another collective negotiations unit to provide for paid retiree health benefits for employees who otherwise are not eligible for paid retiree health benefits, the County agrees to re-open the 2022-2024 collective negotiations agreement to permit bargaining over this issue only.

WHEREFORE, THE PARTIES HERETO SET THEIR HANDS THIS ________

DAY OF DECEMBER __, 2021

FOR PBA 73A

FOR THE UNION COUNTY

MARTIN MOGENSEN 12/08/21

PRESIDENT

EDWARD OATMAN COUNTY MANAGER

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

KATHRYN V. HATFIELD, ESQ

LAURA SCUTARI

DIRECTOR, ADMINISTRATIVE

SERVICES