

## Hobart Township Board Resolution 2026-02

### A RESOLUTION TO RETAIN ATTORNEY MICHAEL DEPPE AS TOWNSHIP ATTORNEY FOR THE 2026 CALENDAR YEAR

WHEREAS, Hobart Township requires the services of a qualified and experienced attorney to provide legal counsel and representation to the Township Board and Township Trustee; and

WHEREAS, **Attorney Michael Deppe** has previously served as legal counsel to Hobart Township and is familiar with township operations, policies, and applicable laws; and

WHEREAS, the Hobart Township Board finds that **Attorney Michael Deppe** possesses the necessary experience, qualifications, and professionalism to continue serving as Township Attorney; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of Hobart Township to retain **Attorney Michael Deppe** for legal services for the 2026 calendar year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Hobart Township Board that:

1. **Attorney Michael Deppe is hereby retained as legal counsel for Hobart Township for the 2026 calendar year**, beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2026.
2. Attorney Michael Deppe shall provide legal services to Hobart Township as requested by the Township Board and/or Township Trustee, subject to applicable laws and township policies.
3. Compensation for such legal services shall be in accordance with the fee schedule or agreement approved by the Hobart Township Board.
4. The Township Trustee is authorized to execute any agreements or documents necessary to effectuate this resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall be effective upon its adoption.

**ADOPTED this 6th day of January, 2026, by the Hobart Township Board.**

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Township Board Chair, Joe Clemmons

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Township Board Member, Mike Ellis

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Township Board Member, Sue Pelfrey

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Township Trustee, Fred Williams