TOWNSHIP OF SHREWSBURY

RESOLUTION #2019--74

AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO SIGN A CERTIFICATE PROHIBITING THE USE OF EXCESSIVE FORCE AND A CERTIFICATION PROHIBITING THE USE OF FEDERAL FUNDS FOR LOBBYING

WHEREAS, certain Federal funds are potentially available to Monmouth County through the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended; and,

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development has allocated funding to the County of Monmouth for FY 2019; and,

WHEREAS, the County is making some of these funds available to certain participating municipalities and non-profit agencies; and,

WHEREAS, it is required that the Township of Shrewsbury execute a project agreement with Monmouth County to undertake a project known as Crawford Street Sanitary Sewer Replacement; and,

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development is requiring that the Mayor of the Township of Shrewsbury sign additional certifications in order to receive these funds; and,

WHEREAS, the Township of Shrewsbury has adopted a policy prohibiting the use of excessive force by its law enforcement agency (police force) within its jurisdiction against any individuals engaged in nonviolent civil rights demonstrations; and,

WHEREAS, a copy of that policy is attached to and made a part of this resolution; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township of Shrewsbury has met the conditions of receiving a FY 2019 allocation by adopting a policy prohibiting the use of excessive force and by not using federal funds for lobbying or by disclosing that funds have been used for lobbying; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor of the Township of Shrewsbury is hereby authorized to sign the attached certifications which will become a part of the FY 2019 Project Agreement.

Dated: July 16, 2019

Pamela D. Howard, Municipal Clerk

Name	Motion	Second	Ayes	Nays	Abstain	Absent
Jennings			X			
Puhak		Х	X			
Nolan	X		X			

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of the resolution adopted by the Township	Committee at the
Meeting held on July 16, 2019.	

Pamela D. Howard, RMC Municipal Clerk Edward Nolan Mayor

SHREWSBURY TOWNSHIP POLICY PROHIBITING THE USE OF EXCESSIVE FORCE BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES

It is hereby noted by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Shrewsbury that in order to fulfill the obligations of Resolution #2019-74, for which this policy statement is an attachment, it should be noted that Shrewsbury Township has always had a policy prohibiting the use of excessive force by law enforcement agencies within the jurisdiction of Shrewsbury Township.

Having said that, it should be noted that Shrewsbury Township does not have a local Police Department and all law enforcement is done by the State Police, but Shrewsbury Township has always prohibited use of excessive force by the State Police within Shrewsbury Township.

Dated: July 16, 2019

EDWARD NOLAN, Mayor