

# Borough of Franklin, County of Sussex

## Resolution #2026-23

### RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A DISABLED VETERAN EXEMPTION ON BLOCK 801 LOT 20

**WHEREAS**, The Department of Veteran Affairs determined that Gabriela Barrera Gutierrez at 10 Paddock Road, Block 801, Lot 20 had a service-connected disability that was totally disabling.

**WHEREAS**, the Tax Assessor has received a Claim for property tax exemption on dwelling house of Disabled Veteran, which was approved by the Tax Assessor.

**WHEREAS**, as per N.J.S.A.54: 4-3.30et seq, Gabriela Barrera Gutierrez is entitled to a tax exemption on the property located at 10 Paddock Road from November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025, the date of application.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** as follows:

1. The Tax Collector is authorized to cancel taxes billed from November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025 to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025 in the amount of \$1,681.98.
2. The Tax Collector is authorized to cancel the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2026 taxes in the amount of \$ 5,937.92.
3. The cancellation of taxes from date of approval has created an overpayment in taxes therefore the Tax Collector is authorized to refund Gabriela Barrera Gutierrez in the amount of \$1,681.98.
4. This property will be marked as Exempt.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

**CERTIFICATION:** I, Colleen L. Little, Municipal Clerk of the Borough of Franklin, in the County of Sussex, State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Governing Body of the Borough of Franklin, County of Sussex, State of New Jersey at a regular meeting held on February 10, 2026.

Colleen L. Little, Municipal Clerk

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTES				
COUNCIL MEMBER	AYES	NAYES	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
PATRICIA CARNES	X			
CONCETTO FORMICA	X			
RACHEL HEATH	X			
JOSEPH LIMON	X			
STEPHEN SKELLENGER	X			
GILBERT SNYDER	X			
MAYOR SOWDEN (Tie Only)				