

Mr. Nolan offered the following Resolution and moved on its adoption:

R-08-179
RESOLUTION GRANTING TAX EXEMPTION
TO DISABLED VETERAN
FOR BLOCK 26 LOT 5

WHEREAS, Joseph M. Hammond is a 100% disabled veteran and is the owner and resident of 7 South Peak Street, Highlands (Block 26 Lot 5) the 100% service connected disability having been awarded to Joseph M. Hammond b the Veteran Administration for medical conditions arising from his military service; and

WHEREAS, the petitioner Joseph Hammond has applied for exemption of the taxes assessed for his property located at 7 South Peak Street, Highlands, as a 100% disabled veteran pursuant to N.J.S.A. 54:4-3:30(A), and the Hammond residence is tax exempt for its tax assessment commencing on 06/01/2008 as the residence of a 100% disabled veteran; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Borough of Highlands, upon recommendation of the Tax Assessor, has determined that Joseph M. Hammond is entitled to a tax exemption as a 100% disabled veteran for conditions received in the honorable service of his Country and his fellow citizens, and that effectuating the policy of tax exemption as of the appropriate date is proper.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that, pursuant to the authority of N.J.S.A.54:4-3.30(A), the Tax Collector is hereby authorized to exempt Block 26 Lot 5, 7 South Peak Street, Highlands, the residence of James Hammond, is a 100% disabled veteran effective June 1, 2008. The Governing Body thanks Mr. Hammond for his dedicated service in the military.

Seconded by Mrs. Burton and adopted on the following roll call vote:

ROLL CALL:

AYES: Mrs. Burton, Mr. Caizza, Mr. Urbanski, Mr. Nolan, Mayor Little
NAYES: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAIN: None

Date: October 15, 2008

NINA LIGHT FLANNERY
Borough Clerk

I, _____, Clerk/Deputy Clerk, do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the Resolution adopted by the Governing Body of the Borough of Highlands on October 15, 2008.