

# **PROCLAMATION-RESOLUTION 2024-32**

*WHEREAS, Lower Southampton Township is a Township of the Second Class in the County of Bucks, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, pursuant to the authority vested in it by the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Southampton hereby resolve the following:*

*WHEREAS, on July 15, 2024 at 12:54 AM, **Officers Rebecca Norman and Edward Worthington** were on routine patrol of Dolphin Municipal Part at 262 W. Bristol Road, Feasterville when they observed a suspicious vehicle; and*

*WHEREAS, vehicle was parked on the lot, near the main building on the other side of a chain link fence. The Officers observed that the door was ajar; and,*

*WHEREAS, the Officers saw a burglar run from inside the building toward a nearby industrial park. They secured the vehicle and requested assistance forming a perimeter around the park; and*

*WHEREAS, several officers from Lower Southampton and surrounding townships responded to help with the perimeter, including Northampton Township **Police Officer Thomas Brown and Corporal Sean McLaughlin**; and*

*WHEREAS, while on the perimeter near W. Bristol and Chinquapin Roads, they observed the burglar in the area and were able to take him into custody without incident; and*

*WHEREAS, **Officer Worthington and Corporal William Schmid** responded to W. Bristol and Chinquapin Roads and spoke to the burglar, securing a confession. These officers demonstrated good police work and interagency cooperation to make this arrest; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE,** do we the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Lower Southampton commend **Officer Rebecca Norman, Officer Edward Worthington, Corporal William Schmid, Officer Thomas Brown, and Corporal Sean McLaughlin** for their continued dedication and loyalty to the law enforcement profession and for consistent high-quality performance as Police Officers.*

*ADOPTED, by at least a majority of the members of the Board of Supervisors at a duly advertised meeting of the Township on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2024 at which a quorum was present.*

*LOWER SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS*

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*ATTEST:*

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*Joseph Galdo, Township Manager*