RESOLUTION # 2024-34

INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN GRANT APPLICATION FOR TOWNS AGAINST GRAFFITI

AND NOW, this 11 day of September, 2024 the Townships of Bensalem, Bristol, Lower Southampton, Middletown, Pennsylvania (hereinafter referred to as the "Participating Municipalities") hereby renew this Intergovernmental Agreement for the purposes set forth herein below:

BACKGROUND

WHEREAS, Towns Against Graffiti has developed a plan for effective and efficient graffiti and litter removal; and

WHEREAS, Towns Against Graffiti has developed a budget to provide funding for the graffiti removal and litter program, (hereinafter referred to as "the Program"), estimated yearly cost being approximately \$199,000.00; and

WHEREAS, Towns Against Graffiti is eligible to apply for a grant from the Bucks County Redevelopment Authority.

WITNESSETH:

That the Municipalities named herein, for and in consideration of the mutual benefits to them accruing, and intending to be legally bound thereto, hereby agree as follows:

- 1. Towns Against Graffiti by and through its lead agency, Bensalem Township, is hereby authorized to apply for a grant in the sum of \$175,000.00 from the Bucks County Redevelopment Authority.
- 2. All funds received by or through the Towns Against Graffiti Committee, subsequent grant applications or from any other source whatsoever, for the purpose of financing the Program shall be remitted to the lead agency for deposit into a separate T.A.G. Program fund to be administered by the lead financial agency's Director of Finance.
- 3. The lead financial agency shall issue quarterly statements to all of the Participating Municipalities indicating the current balance of the Program fund and all debits and credits to the account.

INTENDING to be legally bound, the Participating Municipalities hereunder set their hands and seals the day and date first above written.

	COUNCIL OF BENSALEM TOWNSHIP
, Secretary	
	COUNCIL OF BRISTOL TOWNSHIP
, Secretary	
	LOWER SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP
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