

**Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders**

Freeholder Meeting Venue:

Date: Feb 23, 2017 - 5:00 PM

Location: Hall of Records  
 Freeholder's Meeting Room  
 1 East Main Street  
 Freehold, NJ 07728

Agenda: Resolution Designating “Avenue Of Memories” and Associated Roadways within the Former Fort Monmouth Limits as County Route 537 in the Borough of Eatontown and Borough of Oceanport and Re-designating Portions of Existing County Route 537 as an Extension of County Route 547 in the Borough of Oceanport, Borough of West Long Branch and the City of Long Branch

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<b>FREEHOLDER</b>	<b>PRES.</b>	<b>ABS.</b>	<b>MOVE</b>	<b>SEC</b>	<b>AYE</b>	<b>NAY</b>	<b>ABST.</b>
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**RESOLUTION DESIGNATING “AVENUE OF MEMORIES” AND ASSOCIATED ROADWAYS WITHIN THE FORMER FORT MONMOUTH MAIN CAMPUS LIMITS AS COUNTY ROUTE 537 IN THE BOROUGH OF EATONTOWN AND BOROUGH OF OCEANPORT, AND RE-DESIGNATING A SEGMENT OF EXISTING COUNTY ROUTE 537 AS AN EXTENSION OF COUNTY ROUTE 547 IN THE BOROUGH OF OCEANPORT, BOROUGH OF WEST LONG BRANCH AND THE CITY OF LONG BRANCH**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Monmouth has acquired by fee simple acquisition, including appurtenant easements, the “Avenue of Memories” and other certain roadways within the former Fort Monmouth Main Campus in the Borough of Eatontown and Borough of Oceanport to serve as an extension of County Route 537; and

**WHEREAS**, County Route 537 (Tinton Avenue) is currently segmented at its intersection with Broad Street/Main Street (State Route 35), opposite to Fort Monmouth’s west gate in the Borough of Eatontown; and

**WHEREAS**, County Route 537 resumes as Eatontown Boulevard in the Borough of Oceanport at the intersection of Broad Street/Monmouth Road (State Route 71), just east of County Route 547 (Wyckoff Road ); and

**WHEREAS**, County Route 537 then continues as Broadway through the Borough of West Long Branch, terminating at the intersection of Myrtle Avenue in the City of Long Branch; and

**WHEREAS**, the fee simple acquisition of the Avenue of Memories and other certain roadways within the former Fort Monmouth Main Campus provides an opportunity to improve the designated route identifications of the County Route network; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Engineer and Planning Director have recommended to formally designate county route identification for the newly acquired roadways in the Borough of Eatontown and Borough of Oceanport, and to re-designate a segment of existing County Route 537 identification in the Borough of Oceanport, Borough of West Long Branch and the City of Long Branch.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Monmouth does hereby designate the newly acquired roadways, beginning at the intersection of State Route 35 at the Fort Monmouth's west gate in the Borough of Eatontown, "Avenue of Memories" and "Wilson Avenue" in the Borough of Eatontown and Borough of Oceanport; and "Sherrill Avenue", "Russel Avenue" (between Hildreth Avenue and Sanger Avenue), "Saltzman Avenue", and "Hildreth Avenue" in the Borough of Oceanport, terminating at the intersection of Oceanport Avenue (County Route 11) at the Fort Monmouth's east gate in the Borough of Oceanport within the former Fort Monmouth Main Campus as County Route 537.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that "Eatontown Boulevard" from the intersection of Broad Street/Monmouth Road (State Route 71) to Turtle Mill Brook in the Borough of Oceanport; "Broadway" from Turtle Mill Brook to the intersection of Oakwood Avenue in the Borough of West Long Branch; and "Broadway" from the intersection of Oakwood Avenue to the intersection of Myrtle Avenue in the City of Long Branch shall be re-designated from County Route 537 to County Route 547.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Clerk forward a certified true copy of this Resolution to the County Engineer, County Counsel, County Sheriff, County Office of

Emergency Management, County Director of Public Works and Engineering, County Director  
of Planning; and to:

Borough of Eatontown  
47 Broad Street  
Eatontown, New Jersey 07724  
c/o Julie Martin, Borough Clerk/Registrar

Borough of Oceanport  
315 E. Main Street  
Oceanport, New Jersey 07757  
c/o Jeanne Smith, Borough Clerk

Borough of West Long Branch  
965 Broadway  
West Long Branch, New Jersey 07764  
c/o Lori Cole, Borough Clerk

City of Long Branch  
344 Broadway  
Long Branch, New Jersey 07740  
c/o Kathy L. Schmelz, City Clerk