## SMITHFIELD TOWNSHIP MONROE COUNTY, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **RESOLUTION NO. 574**

A RESOLUTION OF SMITHFIELD TOWNSHIP, COUNTY OF MONROE, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, APPROVING THE TRANSFER OF RESTAURANT LIQUOR LICENSE NO. R-21053 BY WAWA, INC. INTO SMITHFIELD TOWNSHIP, MONROE COUNTY.

WHEREAS, the Township of Smithfield, Monroe County, Pennsylvania (hereafter "Township"), is a duly organized and existing Township of the Second Class within the County of Monroe, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and is governed by the Second Class Township Code, 53 P.S. Section 65101 et seq. (hereinafter the "Code"); and,

WHEREAS, Act 141 of 2000 ("the Act") authorizes the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board ("PLCB") to approve, in certain instances, the transfer of restaurant and eating place liquor licenses across municipal boundaries within the same county regardless of the quota limitations provided for in Section 461 of the Liquor Code if sales of liquor and malt or brewed beverages are legal in the municipality receiving the license; and

WHEREAS, the Act requires the applicant obtain from the receiving municipality a resolution or ordinance approving the inter-municipal transfer of the liquor license prior to the applicant's submission of an application to the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; and

WHEREAS, the Liquor Code stipulates that, prior to adoption of a resolution or ordinance by the receiving municipality, at least one public hearing be held for the purpose of permitting individuals residing within the municipality to make comments and recommendations regarding the applicant's intent to transfer a liquor license into the receiving municipality; and

WHEREAS, an application for transfer filed under the Act must contain a copy of the resolution adopted by the municipality approving the transfer of a liquor license into the municipality.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ENACTED by the Board of Supervisors of Smithfield Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania, that:

1. Wawa, Inc. has requested the approval of the Smithfield Township Board of Supervisors for the proposed transfer of Pennsylvania Restaurant Liquor License No. R-21053 from The Giant Company, LLC, located at the Intersection of PA Route 940 and Long Pond Road, Pocono Summit, Pennsylvania to Wawa, Inc. to a restaurant facility to be located at 237 Mosier Farm Drive, East Stroudsburg, PA 18301 with the understanding that said transfer must be approved at a later date by the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; and

- 2. The Smithfield Township Board of Supervisors had held a properly advertised public hearing pursuant to the notice provisions of §102 of the Liquor Code to receive comments on the proposed liquor license transfer; and
- 3. The Smithfield Township Board of Supervisors approves by adoption of this Resolution the proposed intermunicipal transfer of Pennsylvania Restaurant Liquor License No. R-21053 to Wawa, Inc.; and
- 4. Transfers, designations and assignments of licenses hereunder are subject to approval by the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board.

ADOPTED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024 by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Smithfield, Monroe County, Pennsylvania.

SMITHFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

acob A/Pride, Chair

Robert Lovenheim, Vice Chair

Michael Albert, Supervisor

Attest: Julia Heilakka

Township Secretary