STILLWATER TOWNSHIP SUSSEX COUNTY, NJ

RESOLUTION 2023-215

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 5548 PROHIBITING THE STATE FROM IMPOSING A MILEAGE-BASED USER FEE

WHEREAS, on June 5, 2023, Assemblyman Parker Space introduced Assembly Bill No. 5548; and

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill No. 5548 would prohibit the State from imposing a mileage-based user fee and prohibit the use of State funding for any program, study, or pilot program related to the imposition of mileage-based user fees; and

WHEREAS, mileage-based user fee means "any fee imposed on the owner or operator of a motor vehicle, which fee is calculated based on the number of miles traveled by the motor vehicle during a designated period of time"; and

WHEREAS, the Stillwater Township Committee recognizes that our residents have some of the longest commuting times and distances in the State and is extremely concerned that an imposition of a mileage-based user fee would have a negative effect on our residents.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Stillwater Township Committee supports Assembly Bill No. 5548; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Stillwater Township Committee opposes the imposition of any mileage-based user fee upon its residents; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this Resolution be sent to New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy, The State House, P.O. Box 001, Trenton, NJ 08625; Senator Steven V. Oroho, 115 Demarest Road, Sparta, NJ 07871; Assemblyman Hal Wirths, One Wilson Drive, Suite 2B, Sparta, NJ 07871; Assemblyman Parker Space, One Wilson Drive, Suite 2B, Sparta, NJ 07871 and each municipality in the County of Sussex.

CERTIFICATION

I, Lynda Knott, Municipal Clerk for the Township of Stillwater, hereby certify that the above Resolution was approved by the Township Committee of the Township of Stillwater at their regularly scheduled Township Committee Meeting of December 5, 2023.

Lynda Knott, Municipal Clerk Township of Stillwater