

RESOLUTION No. 20-04-27-01

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT RE: COVID-19

WHEREAS the members of the Amityville Police Department have been responding to calls providing services to village residents who have, or may have the COVID-19 virus, and

WHEREAS such exposure may result in said members contracting such virus, and

WHEREAS said members should be entitled to receive the benefits conferred upon them by §207-c of the General Municipal Law in such circumstances, and

WHEREAS because of the highly contagious nature of said COVID-19 virus, it can be unclear how such virus was transmitted, and consequently the members of the Amityville Police Department who have interacted with village residents having said virus should be entitled to a presumption that it was contracted in the course of their duties as a police officer.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1) The Mayor of the Village of Amityville be, and he hereby is authorized to execute a Memorandum of Agreement with the Amityville Police Benevolent Association, Inc. in the form attached hereto creating a rebuttable presumption that any Amityville Police Officer contracting the COVID-19 virus did so in the course of his duties and shall be entitled to receive benefits provided in §207-c of the General Municipal Law and any related contractual benefits.

2) This Resolution shall be effective immediately.

5. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed as precedent setting and may not be cited in any other matter, such as but not limited to, any grievance, arbitration, PERB conference or hearing or any other court related proceeding except to enforce the terms of this Memorandum of Agreement regarding COVID-19.

DATED: _____

FOR THE ASSOCIATION:

FOR THE VILLAGE:

, President
Amityville Police Benevolent Assoc., Inc.

Dennis M. Siry, Mayor
Village of Amityville