

**RESOLUTION 37 - 2012**  
**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE ELECTION OF MEMBERS**  
**OF THE WOODBURY HEIGHTS BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**AS THE FIRST TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST**  
**MONDAY IN NOVEMBER**

**WHEREAS**, P.L. 2011, c. 202 authorizes changing the election date of school board members from the third Tuesday in April to the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November (the General Election); and

**WHEREAS**, such action requires the adoption of a Resolution by a school district or the municipality or municipalities constituting such district, as set forth in P.L. 2011, c. 202; and

**WHEREAS**, P.L. 2011, c. 202 requires that the change to a November election remain in effect for four years; and

**WHEREAS**, P.L. 2011, c. 202 eliminates the annual voter referendum on the proposed general fund tax levy (i.e., the base budget which is at or below the statutory tax levy cap) in school districts where board of education members are elected at the General Election; and

**WHEREAS**, P.L. 2011, c. 202 requires that an additional general fund tax levy proposal (i.e., for an expenditure in excess of the tax levy cap) be presented to voters as a separate question at the General Election; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough Council of the Borough of Woodbury Heights believes that the financial interest of its constituents is safeguarded by the state's tax levy cap and the thorough review of the proposed school budget by the Executive County Superintendent and the Executive County School Business Administrator; and

**WHEREAS**, the Borough Council is committed to the non-partisan status of school board membership and the non-partisan conduct of school elections, and believes this principle will not be compromised by conducting board member elections in November.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that pursuant to P.L. 2011, c. 202, the Borough Council of the Borough of Woodbury Heights changes the annual election date for school board members of the Woodbury Heights Board

of Education from the third Tuesday in April to the November General Election, beginning in 2012; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that, pursuant to P.L. 2011, c. 202, the annual organization meeting of the Woodbury Heights Board of Education will take place in the first week of January following the November General Election and that the board of education's next organization meeting will take place in the first week of January, 2013; and

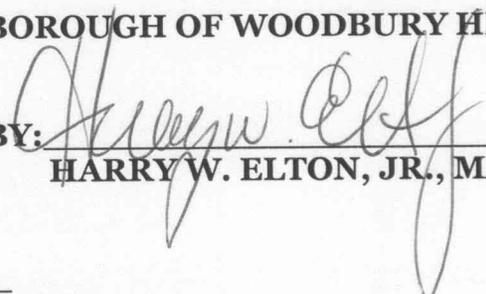
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that, pursuant to P .L. 2011, c. 202, members of the Woodbury Heights Board of Education whose terms would have expired by May, 2012 will continue to serve in office until the January, 2013 organization meeting; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this Resolution be transmitted to the Gloucester County Clerk; the Gloucester County Board of Elections; the Borough Municipal Clerk and school board secretary or secretaries; the Department of State, Division of Elections; the Department of Education's Executive County Superintendent; and the Department of Community Affairs, Division of Local Government Services; and

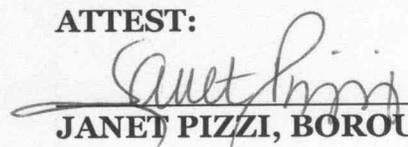
**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this Resolution also be provided to the New Jersey School Boards Association and New Jersey State League of Municipalities.

**BOROUGH OF WOODBURY HEIGHTS**

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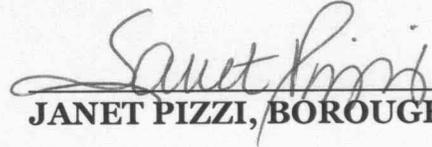
  
HARRY W. ELTON, JR., MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
JANET PIZZI, BOROUGH CLERK

**NOTICE**

The foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at the Regular Meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Woodbury Heights held on February 15, 2012.

  
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**JANET PIZZI, BOROUGH CLERK**