



Resolution 2016-02

Marriage Solemnization in Bellefonte

In accordance with Delaware HB 241, the President of the Bellefonte Town Commission now has the authority to solemnize a marriage within the municipal boundaries of the Town. The Bellefonte Town Commission hereby enacts this

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Article 1 - Marriage Solemnization shall only be conducted by the President according to the requirements and procedures as defined by Instructions for Solemnization from the NCC Clerk of the Peace.

Article 2 - Scheduling - Scheduling for a marriage solemnization shall be at the discretion of availability of the President; however, the President may not refuse any request, so long as the requirements of Delaware Code and the Clerk of the Peace requirements for solemnization have been met.

Article 3 - Fees - There shall be no fee for a marriage solemnization for couples where at least one member is a resident of Bellefonte. The fee for non-residents is \$50.

Article 4 - Use of the Park or the interior of Town Hall for solemnization is subject to availability and entrance into Town Hall must be prearranged and a Town Commissioner or designee MUST be present. Both the Park and Town Hall should be left the way it was found - clean of refuse, etc. (Rice and confetti are not permitted on Town property - bird seed is permitted. Use of the Park or Town Hall are at no fee for residents; the fee for non-residents for both the Park or Town Hall is \$50, payable to "Town of Bellefonte."

Article 5 - Usage - use of the Park and Town Hall is for solemnization only; receptions are not permitted and alcohol is NOT PERMITTED on Town property.

PASSED BY THE COMMISSIONERS: _____

Scott L. MacKenzie President

Brandon Dougherty Secretary