BOROUGH OF TETERBORO RESOLUTION NO. 16-27 *PROCLAMATION* General Aviation Appreciation Month 2016

OFFERED BY: Councilman O'Dwyer SECONDED BY: Councilman Stein

WHEREAS, the Borough of Teterboro in the State of New Jersey has a significant interest in the continued vitality of general aviation, aircraft manufacturing, aviation educational institutions, aviation organizations and community airports; and

WHEREAS, general aviation and the Teterboro Airport have an immense economic impact on the Borough of Teterboro; and

WHEREAS, according to the FAA, New Jersey has 43 public-use airports that serve 9,004 pilots and 2,379 active general aviation aircraft. According to the 2006 New Jersey State Airport System Plan, New Jersey's public use airports support more tan 2.5 million general aviation operations each year;

WHEREAS, FAA data shows that the state is home to 64 repair stations, 9 FAA-approved pilot schools, 1,885 student pilots and 1,607 flight instructors. In addition, there are 34 fixed-base operators in the state;

WHEREAS, according to the New Jersey State Airport System Plan, general aviation airports in New Jersey contribute more that \$1.7 billion to the state's economy;

WHEREAS, general aviation not only supports New Jersey's economy, it improves overall quality of life by supporting emergency medical and healthcare services, law enforcement, firefighting and disaster relief, and by transporting business travelers to their destinations quickly and safely; and

WHEREAS, the nation's aviation infrastructure represents an important public benefit, and Congressional oversight should be in place to ensure stable funding of this system;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John P. Watt, Mayor of the Borough of Teterboro, do hereby proclaim general aviation a vital strategic resource to the Borough of Teterboro and declare February as

GENERAL AVIATION APPRECIATION MONTH In the Borough of Teterboro

Dated this 9th day of February, 2016.

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ATTEST:

VIRGINIÀ A. ALCURI, R.M.C. MUNICIPAL CLERK Page -2-Resolution No. 16-27 February 9, 2019

I, VIRGINIA A. ALCURI, MUNICIPAL CLERK of the BOROUGH OF TETERBORO, do hereby certify that the aforesaid is a true copy of the resolution adopted by the Mayor and Council at a Regular Meeting held February 9, 2016.

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Virginia A Alcuri, R.M.C. Municipal Clerk

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