

**(15-17) RESOLUTION OF THE REPRESENTATIVE TOWN MEETING
OF THE TOWN OF DARIEN APPROVING A CONTRACT
BETWEEN THE TOWN OF DARIEN AND
THE TOWN HALL EMPLOYEE UNION**

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WHEREAS, contract negotiations between the Town of Darien and the Town Hall Employee Union have been ongoing; and

WHEREAS, the principal areas of negotiation included wage increases, contributions toward the cost of medical insurance and working conditions; and

WHEREAS, an understanding on the terms of a new agreement have been reached; and

WHEREAS, the new contract runs for four (4) years from July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the new contract calls for 1.75% wage increase in first year, 2.50% wage increase in the second, third and four year; and

WHEREAS, effective July 1, 2015, the Town will be obligated to pay no more than the premium for the High Deductible Healthcare Plan. Effective July 1, 2016, the High Deductible Healthcare plan will be the only plan available for union members;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Representative Town Meeting of the Town of Darien hereby approves said four (4) year agreement with the Town Hall Employee Union and as is more specifically described in the contract available through the First Selectman's office.