RESOLUTION 2010-292

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BARNEGAT, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, PETITIONING THE COUNTY OF OCEAN TO REINSTATE THE HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Township of Barnegat is a member of the Ocean County District Solid Waste Management Plan; and

WHEREAS, the County of Ocean has determined that it would discontinue the collection and disposal of household hazardous wastes, such as paint cans, batteries, oil, etc; and

WHEREAS, the Ocean County Department of Solid Waste Management has collected a remarkable amount of hazardous household waste at a reasonable cost; most recently in 20-8 304,379 pounds of hazardous waste was collected county-wide at a cost of only \$115,360; and

WHEREAS, the alternative of using regional drop off centers for the disposal of household hazardous wastes is unrealistic and ineffective for many towns and county residents, who may be remote from even the regional centers, and who have large influxes of seasonal residents who may be unaware or insensitive to the need to use the same; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Barnegat believes that the Hazardous Household Waste Collection Program is a valuable and necessary program for the residents of the Township, the County and the environment, which should be reinstated as soon as possible.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of Barnegat, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, as follows:

- 1. That the Mayor and Township Committee do hereby petition the County of Ocean to reinstate the Hazardous Waste Collection Program, as part of the Ocean County District Solid Waste Management Plan, as soon as possible.
- 2. That certified copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to James F. Lacey, Freeholder Liaison, and Ernest J. Kuhlwein, Jr., Director of the Ocean County Department of Solid Waste Management.

CERTIFICATION

I, Kathleen T. West, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Barnegat, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Township Committee of said Township at their regular meeting held on the 21st day of June, 2010, in the Municipal Court Room, 900 West Bay Avenue, Barnegat, New Jersey.

Kathleen T. West, RMC Municipal Clerk