RESOLUTION 2013-014

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BARNEGAT,
COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
ESTABLISHING AND FIXING RATE OF INTEREST TO BE CHARGED FOR NON-PAYMENT OF TAXES OR ASSESSMENTS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2013**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 54:4-67 permits the governing body of each municipality to fix the rate of interest to be charged for non-payment of taxes or assessments subject to any abatement or discount for the late payment of taxes as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 54l:4-67 has been amended to permit the fixing of said rate of 8% per annum on the first $1,500. of the delinquency and 18% per annum on any amount in excess of $1,500. and allows an additional penalty of 6% be collected against a delinquency in excess of $10,000. on properties that fail to pay the delinquency prior to the end of the calendar year; now

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

1. The Tax Collector is hereby authorized and directed to charge 8% per annum on the first $1,500. of taxes becoming delinquent after due date and 18% per annum on any amount of taxes in excess of $1,500. becoming delinquent after due date and if a delinquency is in excess of $10,000. and remains in arrears beyond December 31st, an additional penalty of 6% shall be charged against the delinquency.

2. Effective January 1, 2013 there will be a ten (10) day grace period of quarterly tax payments made by cash, check or Money Order.

3. Any payments not made in accordance with paragraph two of this resolution shall be charged interest from the due date as set forth in paragraph one of the resolution.

4. A certified copy of the resolution shall be provided by the Municipal Clerk to the Tax Collector, Township Attorney, and Township Auditor for the Township of Barnegat.

CERTIFICATION

I, Sharon L. Auer, Acting 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 Reorganization meeting held on the first day of January, 2013, in the Municipal Complex, 900 West Bay Avenue, Barnegat, New Jersey.

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Sharon L. Auer
Acting Municipal Clerk