

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-602

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BARNEGAT, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATOR TO DETERMINE WHETHER CERTAIN RESIDENCES DEMOLISHED OR LEFT UNINHABITABLE BY SUPER STORM SANDY SHOULD HAVE AN ABATEMENT AND FORGIVENESS OF SANITARY SEWER AND WATER CHARGES FOR A SIX (6) MONTH TERM.

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Barnegat, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey (hereinafter referred to as the "Township"), recognizes the devastation rendered by Super Storm Sandy to the residents and taxpayers of the Township; and

WHEREAS, as a result of Super Storm Sandy, many residences in Barnegat Township have been either demolished or left uninhabitable, and as a result thereof, no sanitary sewer or water services are being provided to those residential properties; and

WHEREAS, the Township believes it fair and equitable to provide a six (6) month abatement and forgiveness of sanitary sewer and water charges for those residences which have either been demolished or rendered uninhabitable by Super Storm Sandy, in order to provide the residents and taxpayers of those properties some degree of restitution and savings.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, this 3rd day of December, 2012, by the Township Committee of the Township of Barnegat, County of Ocean, State New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Township authorizes and directs the Township Administrator to determine those residential properties and residential areas which have been either demolished or

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rendered uninhabitable as a result of Super Storm Sandy, and as a result thereof authorizes the Township Administrator to provide a forgiveness and abatement of sanitary sewer and water charges for a six (6) month period for those residences.

2. The Township Administrator shall report on a monthly basis to the Township Committee as to those residential properties he has determined are uninhabitable or demolished, and as a result thereof which he has declared, shall receive an abatement and forgiveness of sanitary sewer and water charges for a six (6) month term, ending on or by June 1, 2013.

3. The Township authorizes and directs the Mayor, Township Clerk and Township Administrator to execute any and all necessary documents in order to implement the intent of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded by the Township Clerk to the following:

- a. The Honorable Alfonse Cirulli, Mayor;
- b. David Breeden, Township Administrator
- c. Kathleen Janeski, Township CFO; and
- d. Jerry J. Dasti, Esquire.

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CERTIFICATION

I certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Barnegat at a regular meeting held on the 3rd day of December, 2012, a quorum being present and voting in the majority.



SHARON L. AUER, Township Clerk (Acting)

Prepared by:

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