RESOLUTION 2017 - 417

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BARNEGAT, COUNTY OF OCEAN STATE OF NEW JERSEY SUPPORTING THE DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER 2017 YEAR END HOLIDAY CRACKDOWN

Whereas, impaired drivers on our nation's roads killed 10,497 people in 2016; and

Whereas, 20% of motor vehicle fatalities in New Jersey are alcohol-related; and

Whereas, an enforcement crackdown is planned to combat impaired driving; and

Whereas, the season at the end of the year is traditionally a time of social gatherings which often include alcohol; and

Whereas, the State of New Jersey, Division of Highway Traffic Safety, has asked law enforcement agencies throughout the state to participate in the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over Year End Holiday Crackdown*; and

Whereas, the project will involve increased impaired driving enforcement from December 8, 2017 through January 1, 2018; and

Whereas, an increase in impaired driving enforcement and a reduction in impaired driving will save lives on our roadways;

Therefore, be is resolved that Barnegat Township declares it's support for the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over 2017 Year End Holiday Crackdown* from December 8, 2017 through January 1, 2018 and pledges to increase awareness of the dangers of drinking and driving.

CERTIFICATION

I, Michele Rivers, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Barnegat, County of Ocear
State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution as duly
adopted by the Barnegat Township Committee at their meeting held in the
Municipal Complex, 900 W. Bay Avenue, Barnegat on the 5 th day of December,
2017

Michele Rivers, RMC Municipal Clerk