## **RESOLUTION 2022-133**

## RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BARNEGAT, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, PROCLAIMING NATIONAL SERVICE RECOGNITION DAY APRIL 6, 2022 AND NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK APRIL 17, 2022 – APRIL 23, 2022

**WHEREAS**, April 6, 2022 has been so proclaimed National Service Recognition Day and the week of April 17, 2022-April 23, 2022 has been so proclaimed National Volunteer Week in conjunction with the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) sponsored by the Ocean County Board of Social Services; and

WHEREAS, the recognition this year focuses on the theme "Celebrate Service-Shining A Light on the People and Causes that Inspire Us to Serve." National Service Recognition Day and National Volunteer Week are about inspiring, recognizing and encouraging people to seek out imaginative ways to engage in their communities. The impact and power of volunteerism and service is an integral aspect of our civic leadership. It is a time to recognize individuals, families, nonprofit organizations and government entities and the tremendous impact they are making on our country's most critical challenges year-round; and

WHEREAS, the Ocean County Board of Social Services recognizes the support given by volunteers to the needs of the communities of Ocean County, such as increasing the capacity of agencies and organizations to provide services, increasing the ability of recipients of service to lead more productive and independent lives and fostering the concept of service to the community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Township of Barnegat that it hereby proclaims April 6, 2022 as National Service Recognition day and the Week of April 17 2022 – April 23, 2022 as National Volunteer Week and honors all the volunteers of Ocean County for their outstanding service to the communities of Ocean County; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Ocean County Board of Commissioners, all County of Ocean municipalities, Ocean County Board of Social Services, Corporation for National Service, and all County of Ocean volunteer stations; and

## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Donna M. Manno, 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 the Township of Barnegat at their regular meeting held on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of April 2022, in the Municipal Complex, 900 West Bay Avenue, Barnegat, New Jersey.

> Donna M. Manno, RMC Municipal Clerk