

RESOLUTION NO. 149-2016
**RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH OF SEA BRIGHT URGING
REVENUE SHARING BETWEEN NEW JERSEY CASINOS,
MONMOUTH PARK AND THE NEW JERSEY HORSERACING INDUSTRY**

Councilmember Leckstein introduced and offered the following Resolution for adoption; seconded by Councilmember Kelly:

WHEREAS, Monmouth Park Racetrack is a historic an integral part of Monmouth County and the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the continued success of Monmouth Park and the horseracing industry is vital to the survival of Monmouth County's shore communities; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of New Jersey is considering legislation to allow casinos outside of Atlantic City; and

WHEREAS, it is the sentiment of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Sea Bright in the event that casinos are permitted to be located outside of Atlantic City, the legislation permitting same shall provide a location at Monmouth Park within the gates of the existing facility; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Sea Bright support the location of such a facility at Monmouth Park; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that the legislation to provide extended gambling shall assure that a percentage of the revenues collected shall be dedicated to the support of New Jersey horse racing including establishing purses to be competitive with surrounding states as well as infrastructure of the same including New Jersey horse farms and breeders.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, support a dedicated revenue stream for Monmouth Park Racetrack and the horseracing industry in the State of New Jersey should legislation pass allowing for the expansion of casinos and gambling outside of Atlantic City; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the following:

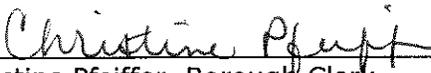
1. Governor Christie
2. President of the New Jersey State Senate
3. Speaker of the General Assembly
4. Dennis Drazin, Esq., New Jersey Breeder's Association
5. Monmouth County Legislative Delegation
6. Board of Chosen Freeholders
7. Monmouth County Municipalities

Roll Call:	Bills,	Keeler,	Kelly,	Lamia,	Leckstein,	Rooney
	Yes	Yes	Yes	absent	Yes	Yes

September 20, 2015

CERTIFICATION

I, Christine Pfeiffer, Borough Clerk, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a Resolution adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright, New Jersey, at a Council Meeting held on September 20, 2016.



Christine Pfeiffer, Borough Clerk