## RESOLUTION NO. 76-2015 ACCEPTING MONMOUTH COUNTY'S FEMA APPROVED HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

Councilmember Leckstein offered the following resolution for approval; seconded by Councilmember Kelly:

**WHEREAS** the Borough of Sea Bright, of the County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, has experienced natural hazards that result in public safety hazards and damage to private and public property, and;

**WHEREAS** the hazard mitigation planning process set forth by the State of New Jersey and the Federal Emergency Management Agency offers the opportunity to consider natural hazards and risks, and to identify mitigation actions to reduce future risk, and;

**WHEREAS** the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management is providing federal mitigation funds to support development of the Monmouth County Multi-Jurisdictional All Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan, and;

**WHEREAS** a *Hazard Mitigation Plan* has been developed by the Mitigation Planning Committee, and;

**WHEREAS** the *Hazard Mitigation Plan* includes a prioritized list of mitigation actions including activities that, over time, will help minimize and reduce safety threats and damage to private and public property, and;

**WHEREAS** the draft plan was provided to each participating jurisdiction and was posted on the County Office of Emergency Management's website so as to introduce the planning concept and to solicit questions and comments; and to present the Plan and request comments, as required by law, and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Sea Bright:

- 1. The Monmouth County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, as approved by the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency on April 14, 2015 is hereby adopted as an official plan of the Borough of Sea Bright in the County of Monmouth.
- 2. The Municipal departments identified in the Plan are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended high priority activities that are assigned to their departments.
- 3. Any action proposed by the Plan shall be subject to and contingent upon budget approval, if required, which shall be at the discretion of the Mayor and Borough Council and this resolution shall not be interpreted so as to mandate any such appropriations.
- 4. The Emergency Management Coordinator is designated to coordinate with other offices and shall periodically report on the activities, accomplishments, and progress, and shall prepare an annual progress report to be submitted to the Monmouth County Office of Emergency Management. The status reports shall be submitted by September 15<sup>th</sup> of each year.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this resolution, certified to be a true copy, be forwarded to the following:

- 1. Borough of Sea Bright Emergency Management Coordinator
- 2. Deputy Coordinator, Monmouth County Sheriff's Office

3. NJ Futures

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

April 21, 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, County of Monmouth, State of New Jersey, at a Council Meeting held on April 21, 2015.

Christine Pfeiffer, Borough Clerk