

**RESOLUTION 2009-643**

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BARNEGAT,  
COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY,  
RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER AS NATIONAL  
FAMILY CAREGIVER MONTH**

Whereas, the Township of Barnegat desires to join the Ocean County Board of Social Services to recognize the Month of November, 2009 as National Family Caregiver Month; and

Whereas, the Ocean County Board of Social Services is, with the Ocean County Office of Senior Services, part of the New Jersey EASE public collaborative and works closely with a government agencies and with concerned private organizations, including hospitals, to give patients a welcomed alternative to institutionalized care; and

Whereas, home care not only emphasizes the dignity, comfort, and independence of patients but also affirms the importance of family love and support to their well-being and enables clients to prevent, or to postpone, costly hospital stays and other forms of institutional care; and

Whereas, countless numbers of lives have been touched by family caregivers thereby improving the quality of life for these citizens of New Jersey.

Now therefore, be it resolved that the Township of Barnegat joins with Governor Jon S. Corzine, State of New Jersey, in celebrating National Family Caregiver Month during the Month of November, 2009.

Be it further resolved, that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to:

The Honorable Governor Jon S. Corzine, State of New Jersey  
The Honorable U.S. Senator Frank Lautenberg  
The Honorable U.S. Senator Robert Menendez  
The Honorable U.S. Congressman John Adler  
The Honorable U.S. Congressman Christopher H. Smith  
The Honorable State Senator Christopher J. Connors  
The Honorable State Senator Andrew R. Ciesla  
The Honorable State Senator Robert W. Singer  
The Honorable State Assemblyman Daniel M. Van Pelt

The Honorable State Assemblyman Brian E. Rumpf  
The Honorable State Assemblyman James W. Holzapfel  
The Honorable State Assemblyman David W. Wolfe  
The Honorable State Assemblyman Ronald S. Dancer  
The Honorable State Assemblyman Joseph R. Malone  
Jennifer Velez, Commissioner, NJ Department of Human Services  
Kimberly Ricketts, Commissioner, NJ Department of Children & Family  
Services  
Charles Richman, Acting Commissioner, NJ Department of Community  
Affairs  
Jeanette Page-Hawkins, Director, NJ Division of Family Development  
Heather Howard, Commissioner, NJ Department of Health & Senior  
Services  
Freeholder Director, John C. Bartlett, Jr., Ocean County Board of Chosen  
Freeholders  
Ella Boyd, Public Health Coordinator, Ocean County Health Department  
Jill S. Perez, Director, Ocean County Department of Human Services  
Jane Maloney, Director, Ocean County Office of Senior Services  
All Ocean County Mayors  
Daniel Boas, President, County Welfare Association  
Members of the Ocean County Board of Social Services

### **CERTIFICATION**

I, Kathleen T. West, 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 Barnegat Township Committee at their regular meeting held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2009, in the Municipal Court Room, 900 West Bay Avenue, Barnegat, New Jersey.

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Kathleen T. West, RMC  
Municipal Clerk