

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-081

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LITTLE EGG HARBOR, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY SUPPORTING THE COMMUNITY TREE RECOVERY, AN ARBOR DAY FOUNDATION PROGRAM

WHEREAS, trees play a vital role in our everyday lives, improving the quality of the air we breathe, the water we drink, beautify our communities; the loss of trees could be detrimental to the lives of our residents and our community; and

WHEREAS, the State, Department of Environmental Protection, State Forest Service, has partnered with the New Jersey Tree Recovery Campaign to replace damaged or destroyed trees in the wake of natural disasters; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Little Egg Harbor suffered many catastrophic losses as a result of Superstorm Sandy in October 2012, including dead and damaged trees, which need to be replaced and replanted; and

WHEREAS, the NJ Community Tree Recovery program will allow the Township to apply to the DEP, NJ Forest Service Nursery, to receive up to 1,000 seedlings to distribute to residents to replant trees that were lost during Superstorm Sandy; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee wishes to support the New Jersey Tree Recovery Campaign program and apply to receive tree seedlings to distribute to the residents for free.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township Committee of the Township of Little Egg Harbor, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey as follows:

1. That the Township Committee supports the New Jersey Tree Recovery Campaign 2012-2022, and authorizes the Township to receive and distribute tree seedlings through the NJ Tree Recovery Campaign, in accordance with the terms of the program.
2. That the Township Environmental Commission shall develop a plan to organize and distribute the tree seedlings on behalf of the Township and shall provide a copy of the plan to the Township Administrator prior to distribution of any tree seedlings.
3. That a certified copy of this Resolution and the Community Tree Recovery Application shall be forwarded to the State of New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, NJ Forestry Service Nursery, Little Egg Harbor Township Environmental Commission and the Township Administrator.

CERTIFICATION

I, KELLY LETTERA, RMC, Municipal Clerk of the Township of Little Egg Harbor do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Township of Little Egg Harbor Township Committee at a meeting held on the 10th day of February, 2022.



KELLY LETTERA, RMC
Township Clerk
Township of Little Egg Harbor

Community Application 2022

Community Name Little Egg Harbor Township^c
 Contact Name Carol Evans Title Environmental Comm.
 Address 665 Radio Rd
 City Little Egg Harbor Zipcode 08087 Phone Number 609-618-8285
 Email C1007cable@yahoo.com Alternate Phone Number 609-296-7241

Seedling Information

Order in multiples of 25 seedlings. (each resident receives five seedlings)
 Applications must be in by February 17, 2022. Quantities may differ depending on what trees are available.

of seedlings requested 1,600 or as many we can get.

Name the volunteer group(s) who will help distribute the trees: Environmental Comm. & Green Team members

Please follow all NJ Covid-19 protocols while distributing seedlings. Please remember to Mask Up! when in public and in indoor spaces such as gatehouses and restrooms. They must maintain a six-foot distance from other individuals that are not immediate family members, caretakers, household members, or partners.

How will these trees be distributed (including Covid-19 measures)?

Community Center has large Parking LOT & Large Building. weather permitting we will have tables set outside and do a drive through. AT least 4 TABLES will be set up.

Tree Distribution Event Info

Please be sure to schedule your event day AFTER the day you plan to pick-up the seedlings. post on Back

Date 4/9/2022 Time 10:00 AM

Location of YOUR event. Be as detailed as possible. This information will be advertised.

Little Egg Harbor Community Center
East Calabreeze Way, Little Egg Harbor, NJ 08087

Check the Tree Seedling Pick up Location you will use: Bergen Camden Cape May E M
 Morris Ocean

By participating in the New Jersey Tree Recovery Program, we agree to ensure the seedlings allocated to our community are distributed to any US citizen free of charge and in a timely manner.

I understand this information will be made public. If any information changes, I will update the information ASAP.

Signature [Signature]

Title Deputy Mayor Date 2-3-2022

Please complete the attached application and fax, mail or email to:
 State of New Jersey
 Department of Environmental Protection
 NJ Forest Service Nursery
 370 East Veterans Hwy, Jackson, NJ 08527
 Attn: Tree Recovery Seedlings

For more information, contact:
 NJ Forest Service Nursery
 (732) 928-0029
 Alec.McCartney@dep.nj.gov

