

RESOLUTION NO. 2019 – 87

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LITTLE EGG HARBOR, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, OPPOSING NEW JERSEY BECOMING A SANCTUARY STATE AND RESOLVING FOR LITTLE EGG HARBOR TOWNSHIP TO NEVER BECOME A SANCTUARY CITY

WHEREAS, The Governor of the State of New Jersey and the New Jersey Legislature stated that New Jersey should become a sanctuary state; and

WHEREAS, cities throughout the nation and within this State has declared that they are sanctuary cities”

WHEREAS, a sanctuary state means that the State of New Jersey would welcome illegal undocumented immigrants; and

WHEREAS, Governor Phil Murphy and the New Jersey Legislature has enacted legislature providing benefits to illegal undocumented immigrants; and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Little Egg Harbor opposes New Jersey becoming a sanctuary state as New Jersey has some of the highest property taxes in the nation and the Governor of the State of New Jersey and the New Jersey Legislature should be more concerned with reducing spending and property tax reduction for the legal residents and tax payers of the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Township of Little Egg Harbor shall continue to put the needs of the residents of Little Egg Harbor Township first and thereby determining that Little Egg Harbor Township shall never be a sanctuary city; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Body of the Township of Little Egg Harbor urges Governor Phil Murphy and the New Jersey Legislature to reevaluate their position with regard to New Jersey becoming a Sanctuary State; and


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED on this 14th day of March, 2019 by the Township Committee of the Township of Little Egg Harbor that it opposes New Jersey becoming a Sanctuary State and urges Governor Phil Murphy and the New Jersey Legislature to reevaluate their position and to instead focus on the health, safety and general welfare of the resident and tax payers of the State of New Jersey; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Little Egg Harbor Township shall never become a sanctuary city and that all local, state, and federal laws shall be strictly enforced and the residents of Little Egg Harbor Township shall be the primary concern of the Governing Body; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Little Egg Harbor Township Clerk shall forward a certified true copy of this resolution to the Governor of the State of New Jersey, Lieutenant Governor of the State of New Jersey, the members of the Ocean County Legislative Delegation, and the members of the Ocean County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

CERTIFICATION

I, DIANA K. MCCRACKEN, 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 14th day of March, **2019**.


DIANA K. MCCRACKEN, Township Clerk
Little Egg Harbor Township