

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-55
AUTHORIZE FILING OF 2016 RECYCLING TONNAGE
GRANT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, The Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act, P.L.1987, c.102, has established a recycling fund from which tonnage grant may be made to municipalities in order to encourage local source separation and recycling programs; and

WHEREAS, It is the intent and the spirit of the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act to use the tonnage grants to develop new municipal recycling programs and to continue and to expand existing programs; and

WHEREAS, The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection has promulgated recycling regulations to implement the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act; and

WHEREAS, The recycling regulations impose on municipalities certain requirements as a condition for applying for tonnage grants, including but not limited to, making and keeping accurate, verifiable records of materials collected and claimed by the municipality; and

WHEREAS, A resolution authorizing this municipality to apply for the **2016 Recycling Tonnage Grant** will memorialize the commitment of this municipality to recycling and to indicate the assent of the Township Council to the efforts undertaken by the municipality and the requirements contained in the Recycling Act and recycling regulations; and

WHEREAS, Such a resolution acknowledges that Thomas A. Sahol as a New Jersey Certified Recycling Professional and is hereby authorized to ensure the application is properly completed, signed and timely filed.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Florence that Florence Township hereby endorses the submission of the recycling tonnage grant application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and designates Thomas A. Sahol, NJ Certified Recycling Professional/Assistant Municipal Administrator, to ensure that the application is properly filed; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the monies received from the recycling tonnage grant be deposited in a dedicated recycling trust fund to be used solely for the purposes of recycling.

I, Nancy L. Erlston, Acting Clerk of the Township of Florence, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Resolution approved by Township Council at their February 1, 2017 meeting.

NANCY L. ERLSTON
Acting Township Clerk