

RESOLUTION 155(24)

May 8, 2024

WHEREAS, **Community Health Improvement Week** during the first week in June honors health professionals both in hospital settings and those who work more closely with communities.

WHEREAS, Community Health Improvement Week raises awareness, demonstrates impacts celebrates the individuals and organizations that work to advance the health and well-being of their communities; and

WHEREAS, **Community Health Improvement Week** encourages all to recognize, raise awareness and increase understanding of community health improvement activities (i.e., screenings, child health, exercise promotion and weight reduction, including interventions aimed at the prevention of specific diseases, and smoking cessation) and the people and organizations that lead them; and

WHEREAS, community health programs can reduce suffering by helping to prevent health problems and better manage chronic conditions; and

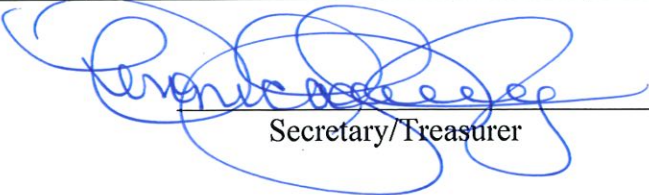
WHEREAS, this week gives the opportunity to demonstrate the value and impact of community health initiatives, both within the organizations and to community stakeholders; and

WHEREAS, community health professionals work closely with public health organizations, area leaders, hospitals, and clinics to guide neighborhoods, urban and suburban areas to improve overall health. Many of these professionals serve on boards and volunteer in an outreach capacity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the OCEAN COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey hereby recognizes and proclaims **June 10-14, 2024**, as **National Community Health Improvement Week** and celebrates all health care professionals that continually provide safe and high-quality patient care and recognize their accomplishments, not just during this week, but at every opportunity through the year.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a certified copy of this resolution shall be sent to the Ocean County Board of Commissioners.

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Ayes	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
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Nays									
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