

# ***Resolution 2010-143***

## ***Township of Ocean***

**WHEREAS**, the 2010 Census committee will commence mailing questionnaires to every household in Ocean County on or about March 15, 2010; and

**WHEREAS**, the Constitutional purpose of the Census is to count the population to determine representation in the U.S. Congress and the New Jersey Legislature. There is concern that our state delegation of 13 congressional representatives may be reduced to 12 due to loss of population; and

**WHEREAS**, additionally, the Census population statistics are also used by a myriad of third party agencies and organizations to determine funding for human and social services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Census population statistics are also used by many third part agencies and organizations to plan for the future; and

**WHEREAS**, the Census population statistics are used by the business community and others for marketing, business plans and loans and other associated activities; and

**WHEREAS**, it is important for **EVERY** person who resides in Ocean County to be counted.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the **TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE** of the **TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN, COUNTY OF OCEAN, STATE OF NEW JERSEY** hereby proclaim the month of March 2010 as:

### **CENSUS MONTH**

in the Township of Ocean and ask that every resident of the town complete and return the Census form received in the mail; and further encourage the municipal governing bodies in Ocean County to join us in this effort by proclaiming March as Census Month in their community and encouraging all of their residents be counted.

### **CERTIFICATION**

I, Diane B. Ambrosio, RMC, Clerk of the Township of Ocean, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Ocean at the regular meeting on the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of March 2010.

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DIANE B. AMBROSIO, RMC  
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