

RESOLUTION 2016-381

WHEREAS, each year nearly two hundred thousand women and two thousand men will be diagnosed with breast cancer; and

WHEREAS, more than forty thousand people will die from breast cancer each year; and

WHEREAS, risk factors for breast cancer include age, weight, family history, reproductive history and diet; and

WHEREAS, breast cancer is the second highest diagnosed cancer in women in the United States and is the second leading cause of cancer death in women; and

WHEREAS, the Ocean County Health Department, through media outlets and additional educational materials, educates the public on the risk factors, screening methods and diagnose for breast cancer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Township of Ocean, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey hereby proclaims the month of October, 2016 as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month in the County of Ocean and encourages all residents to get an exam for breast cancer.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution will be forwarded to the Ocean County Board of Chosen Freeholders and each municipality in Ocean County.

CERTIFICATION

I, Diane Ambrosio, Clerk of the Township of Ocean, in the County of Ocean and the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the Township Committee at its Regular Business Meeting held on the 13th day of October 2016.

Diane B. Ambrosio, RMC
Municipal Clerk