

WORK SESSION AGENDA ITEM #1 – PROCLAMATIONS

Clerk of the Board acknowledged the following out of house proclamations:

- **Freeholder McMorrow** presented a proclamation to Joel Popkin on the occasion of his retirement from Neptune City - *“Joel Popkin Day.”*



MONMOUTH COUNTY BOARD of
CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

Honoring Joel Popkin

WHEREAS, Joel Popkin has served the good citizens of the City of Neptune since 1985, with the multiple responsibilities of Administrator, Municipal Clerk and Tax Collector; and

WHEREAS, throughout the years, Joel Popkin's service to the citizens of our community included involvement with membership with the Neptune City Land Use Board, the Rotary Club of Asbury Park, the Neptune City Board of Education, the Monmouth University Alumni Association and the Neptune City Day Committee; and

WHEREAS, some of the professional groups that have benefitted from Joel Popkin's talent and expertise include the Municipal Clerks' Association, the International Institute of Municipal Clerks, the Municipal Clerks Association of Monmouth County, the NJ State Tax Collectors Association and the Monmouth/Ocean Tax Collectors Association; and

WHEREAS, throughout the years, Joel Popkin, has been awarded with honors such as the Municipal Clerk of the Year, as President of the Municipal Clerks' Association, and the NJ School Boards Association with the Milestone Award for 20 years of service; and

WHEREAS, on Saturday, November 8, 2008, the Mayor, governing body and Joel Popkin's many friends and admirers will gather to attend his retirement dinner and celebrate his 23 years of service to the citizens of the City of Neptune.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Chosen Freeholders commends the outstanding public service of Joel Popkin by proclaiming this day, November 8, 2008 as:

“Joel Popkin Day”
in the County of Monmouth.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND
AND CAUSED THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE COUNTY OF
MONMOUTH TO BE HERETO AFFIXED.

- Director Burry presented a proclamation proclaiming the month of November as - "Family Caregivers Month".

Proclamation



MONMOUTH COUNTY BOARD of
CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

Honoring Family Caregivers Month

WHEREAS, each November the President of the United States proclaims the month of November to be National Family Caregivers Month which was designated to thank, support, educate and celebrate the more than 52 million family caregivers across our country; and

WHEREAS, the family caregivers among us are everyday heroes, generous, compassionate individuals, who face the challenge of caring for loved ones who are frail, chronically ill, or living with disabilities that restrict their independence; and

WHEREAS, family caregivers often pay an emotional and physical price as they juggle the demands of home and work while meeting the special needs of the individuals in their care who live in dignity in the warmth and familiarity of home; and

WHEREAS, in the observation of Family Caregivers Month, we recognize the devoted men and women, who give of their hearts, resources, and energy to maintain the care and support of loved ones in need; and

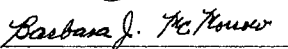
WHEREAS, through their love, dedication, and courage, these compassionate caregivers strengthen and preserve the importance of family and make an extraordinary contribution to the quality of life of their loved ones.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Chosen Freeholders, joins with the President of the United States in proclaiming the month of November 2008 as:


"Family Caregivers Month"

in the County of Monmouth.


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