

DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY

TO ALL CITIZENS BUSINESSES, DEPARTMENTS, DIVISIONS AND OFFICES WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE, COUNTY OF MONMOUTH, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

WHEREAS, PURSUANT TO THE POWERS VESTED IN ME BY CHAPTER 251 OF THE LAWS OF 1942, AS AMENDED AND SUPPLEMENTED, NJSA APP A:9-30 ET SEQ; NJSA 40:48-1(6) AND LOCAL ORDINANCE PURSUANT THERETO; NJSA 2C:33-1 ET SEQ; AND ALL SECTIONS AND SUBSECTIONS, I HAVE DECLARED THAT A TOWNSHIP-WIDE DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY EXISTS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE, COUNTY OF MONMOUTH,

WHEREAS, THE AFORESAID LAWS AUTHORIZE THE PROMULGATION OF SUCH ORDERS, RULES AND REGULATIONS AS ARE NECESSARY TO MEET THE VARIOUS PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE OR MAY BE PRESENTED BY SUCH EMERGENCY, AND,

WHEREAS, BY REASON OF THE SERIOUS CONDITIONS WHICH PRESENTLY EXIST OR ARE EXPECTED TO OCCUR WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE, COUNTY OF MONMOUTH WHICH MAY AFFECT THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND OR WELFARE OF THE PEOPLE, AND

WHEREAS, IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED CERTAIN PREACUATIONARY MEASURES AND PREPAREDNESS ACTIONS WILL NEED TO BE IMPLEMENTED, AND THAT CERTAIN RESTRICTIONS MAY NEED TO BE ENACTED;

AND FURTHER, THAT CERTAIN MEASURES MUST BE TAKEN TO INSURE ORDER AND TO PROTECT THE PERSONS AND PROPERTY AFFECTED BY SAID CONDITIONS AND INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS THAT SHOULD BE TAKEN BY ALL RESIDENTS;

- VOLUNTARY EVACUATIONS OF AREAS WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP THAT ARE PRONE TO FLOODING
- TAKE ON PERSONAL PREPAREDNESS MEASURES TO ENSURE SAFETY AND WELL BEING OF YOU AND YOUR FAMILY
- IF YOU NEED TO EVACUATE DO SO AND RE-LOCATE WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS OUTSIDE THE AFFECTED AREA
- AS A LAST RESORT, GO TO TOWNSHIP RECEPTION CENTER AT NEPTUNE HIGH SCHOOL FOR PROPER RECORDING AND TRACKING AND THEN TRANSPORTION TO AN APPROPRIATE COUNTY OR STATE SHELTER.

AND THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS THAT MAY, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, BE TAKEN BY TOWNSHIP OFFICIALS

- IMPLEMENTING OF CURFEWS
- RESTRICTION OF TRAFFIC FLOW AND CLOSING OF ROADWAYS
- CLEARING OF DEBRIS FROM MUNICIPAL, COUNTY AND STATE ROADWAYS TO ENSURE EMERGENCY RESPONSE AND RECOVERY OPERATIONS
- THE USE OF TOWNSHIP FACILITIES AS EMERGENCY SHELTERS
- THE USE OF TOWNSHIP EMPLOYEES WHERE NEEDED
- WITHHOLDING RESPONSE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES WHEN CONDITIONS ARE DEEMED UNSAFE FOR SUCH A RESPONSE

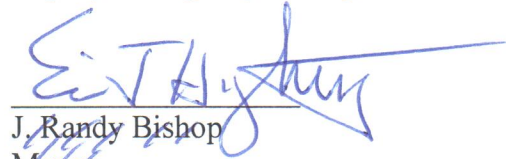
BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT, THIS EMERGENCY DECLARATION INCLUSIVE OR IN PART WILL BE IN EFFECT UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, AND THAT OTHER RESTRICTIONS OR INSTRUCTIONS MAY BE ADDED AS DEEMED APPROPRIATE TO ENSURE PUBLIC SAFETY.

NOW THEREFORE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AFORESAID LAWS, I DO HEREBY PROMULGATE AND DECLARE THAT THE ABOVE CITED APPLICABLE REGULATIONS SHALL BE IN ADDITION TO ALL OTHER LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY, THE COUNTY OF MONMOUTH AND THE TOWNSHIP OF NEPTUNE.



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10-28-12 1200 hrs
Date Time



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