

RESOLUTION OF THE GLOUCESTER COUNTY AGRICULTURE  
DEVELOPMENT BOARD RECOMMENDING A SITE SPECIFIC  
AGRICULTURE MANAGEMENT PRACTICE FOR  
FRUITWOOD FARMS, INC.

WHEREAS, Fruitwood Farms, Inc., located at  
(Route 538), Monroeville, New Jersey 08043-2706, through their  
Farm Manager, Michael Nelson, made a formal request to the  
Agriculture Development Board for a Site Specific Agriculture  
Management Practice Recommendation; and

WHEREAS, Fruitwood Farms, Inc. requested the Gloucester  
County Agriculture Development Board to determine if their  
operation constituted a generally accepted agricultural  
operation or practice; and

WHEREAS, Michael Nelson, Farm Manager of Fruitwood Farms,  
Inc., certified that his operation is a receipt and processing  
facility to receive grass clippings and then use them as a  
nutrient supplement in the growing of various crops; and

WHEREAS, Fruitwood Farms' application certified that  
Fruitwood Farms is five acres or more, produces agricultural  
and/or horticultural products worth \$2500.00 or more annually  
and is eligible for differential property taxation pursuant to  
the Farmland Assessment Act of 1964; and

WHEREAS, agriculture is a permitted use under the  
Municipal Zoning Ordinance where Fruitwood Farms is located;  
and

WHEREAS, the Gloucester County Agricultural Development  
Board reviewed the application and the Certificate of Authority  
to Operate attached of Fruitwood Farms, Inc.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Gloucester County  
Agricultural Development Board recommends that the Site  
Specific Agriculture Management Practice of Fruitwood Farms,  
Inc. is deemed appropriate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Gloucester  
County Agriculture Board is to forward a copy of this  
recommendation to the State Agriculture Development Committee.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Gloucester County  
Agricultural Development Board held on April 12, 2001.

RUSSELL MARINO, CHAIRMAN

Attest:

JAMES YATES, SECRETARY