RESOLUTION OF THE NEW JERSEY PINELANDS COMMISSION

NO. PC4-16- 04

TITLE: Expressing the Commission's appreciation to Fran Witt for his service as a member between February 13, 2004 and December 31, 2015.

Commissioner Lohbauer **moves and Commissioner** Lloyd **seconds the motion that:**

WHEREAS, Fran Witt served as Gloucester County's representative on the Pinelands Commission from February 13, 2004 until December 31, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Witt served on the Commission's Personnel and Budget Committee, Public and Governmental Programs Committee and Audit Committee; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Witt brought a wealth of experience to the Commission, having served as the Mayor of the Borough of National Park for 16 years, as well as having served as the past Vice President of the New Jersey League of Municipalities and having served on the Board of the Gloucester County Utilities Authority and the Gloucester County Solid Waste Authority; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure, the Pinelands Commission adopted 18 amendments to the Pinelands Comprehensive Management Plan (CMP), permanently preserved more than 7,700 acres in the Pinelands and completed its fourth in-depth review of the CMP; and

WHEREAS, Commission members are unpaid volunteers, and Mr. Witt devoted hundreds of hours of his time as a Commissioner and logged more than 10,000 miles traveling to and from Commission meetings; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Commission want to recognize Mr. Witt's significant efforts to advance the agency's mission to preserve, protect and enhance the resources of the Pinelands.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the members of the Pinelands Commission, assembled at the Richard J. Sullivan Center for Environmental Policy and Education on this 12th day of February, 2016, hereby express our appreciation to Fran Witt for his commitment to the Pinelands and his service as a Commission member between February 13, 2004 and December 31, 2015.

Record of Commission Votes

	AYE	NAY	NP	A/R*		AYE	NAY	NP	A/R*		AYE	NAY	NP	A/R*
Ashmun	X				DiBello			X		McGlinchey	X			
Avery	X				Galletta	X				Prickett	X			
Barr	X				Jannarone			X		Quinn	X			
Brown	X				Lloyd	X				Rohan Green	X			
Chila	X				Lohbauer	X				Earlen	X			

* A = Abstained / R = Recused

Adopted at a meeting of the Pinelands Commission Date: 2/12/16

Nancy Wittenberg
Executive Director

Sean W. Earlen
Chairman