

## Resolution #99-2016

### **Supporting Participation in the Multi-Jurisdictional Program for Public Information to Meet the Goals of the National Flood Insurance Program's Community Rating System**

**WHEREAS**, the National Flood Insurance Program's (NFIP) Community Rating System (CRS) is a voluntary incentive program that recognizes and encourages community floodplain management activities that exceed the minimum NFIP requirements; and

**WHEREAS**, flood insurance premium rates are discounted to reflect the reduced flood risk resulting from the community actions meeting the three goals of the CRS:

1. Reduce flood damage to insurable property.
2. Strengthen and support the insurance aspects of the NFIP.
3. Encourage a comprehensive approach to floodplain management.

**WHEREAS**, the Community Rating System credits local initiatives to advise people about flood hazards, flood insurance, the natural functions of floodplains and flood loss reduction measures;

**WHEREAS**, in order to implement a Program for Public Information (PPI) for the municipalities in our region a Multi-Jurisdictional Program for Public Information is being formed; and

**WHEREAS**, the PPI will coordinate all of the flood-related public information in the community, both public and private; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Margate floodplain managers will be actively involved in the PPI planning and implementation process and attend required meetings;

**WHEREAS**, this actions will result in CRS credits that will result in lower flood insurance premiums for the residents and business of the City of Margate.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that City Council of the City of Margate formally supports Participation in the Multi-Jurisdictional Program for Public Information to Meet the Goals of the National Flood Insurance Program's Community Rating System.

ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECONDED	YES	NO	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Becker						X
Amodeo		X	X			
Blumberg	X		X			

DATE: June 2, 2016

CERTIFICATION

I, Johanna Casey, Clerk of Margate City, Atlantic County, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the City of Margate City at a meeting of said Commission held on June 2, 2016 and said resolution was adopted by not less than a two-thirds vote of the members of the Commission.

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Johanna Casey, RMC, City Clerk