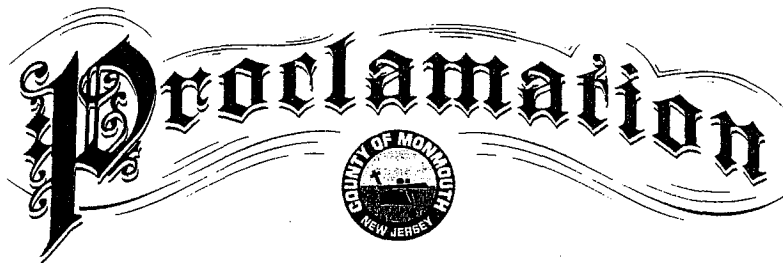


WORK SESSION AGENDA ITEM #1 – PROCLAMATIONS

Clerk of the Board acknowledged the following in house proclamation:

- Freeholder McMorrow presented a proclamation to Director of Human Services Miller, declaring September - *“Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month.”* Freeholder McMorrow thanked Director Miller and her department for all their good work in providing social services to residents of Monmouth County. **Director of Human Services Miller** accepted the proclamation and indicated that her department handles a variety of substance abuse issues since over 47,000 residents are in need of the department’s services.



MONMOUTH COUNTY BOARD of
CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

**Alcohol and Drug Addiction
Recovery Month**

WHEREAS, drug and alcohol abuse destroys the hopes of men, women, and young people and destroys lives, shatters families, and threatens the safety of our neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, alcohol and drug addiction are chronic but treatable medical illnesses involving brain chemistry disorders, which affect millions of Americans, with a huge medical, societal and economic cost; and

WHEREAS, people in recovery are capable individuals who contribute to our community and while we celebrate the success of those individuals, we must help those still suffering from dependence and addiction; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Chosen Freeholders supports the alcohol and drug treatment programs that have helped thousands of our citizens in their on going recovery from alcohol and drug addiction.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Chosen Freeholders join with the Monmouth County Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services and the thousands of citizens in recovery from these illnesses, by proclaiming the month of September 2008 as:

“Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month”

in the County of Monmouth and encourage all residents to promote the benefits of treatment, recovery and support our many citizens recovering from addictions.

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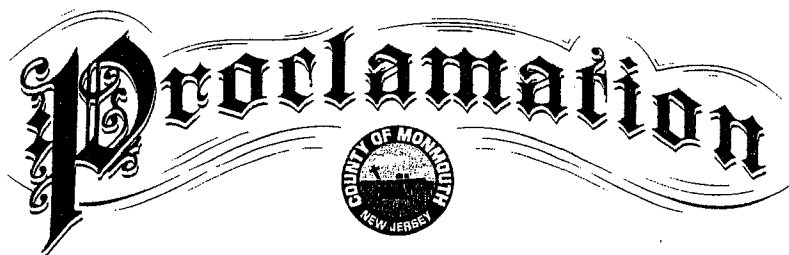


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND
AND CAUSED THE OFFICIAL SEAL OF THE COUNTY OF
MONMOUTH TO BE HERETO AFFIXED.

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

- Director Burry presented a proclamation out of house Celebrating the 113th Monmouth County Horse Show – “*Monmouth County Horse Show Days.*”

Director Burry stated that she attended the Horse Show this past Sunday and it continues to be a very successful event.



MONMOUTH COUNTY BOARD of
CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS

Celebrating the 113th Monmouth County Horse Show

WHEREAS, The Monmouth County Horse Show which began 113 years ago as the Long Branch Horse Show is today one of the oldest continuous equestrian events in the country; and

WHEREAS, this year on August 20-24 2008, the Monmouth County Horse Show will be held at the 81 beautiful acres of show grounds of East Freehold Park; and

WHEREAS, the Monmouth County Horse Show is an exclusive "AA-rated" event, which has been recognized by the American Hunter and Jumper Foundation as one of the nations' finest equestrian showcases; and

WHEREAS, one of the highlights of the 113th Annual Monmouth County Horse Show is the \$30,000 Stillwell-Hansen Grand Prix, Ride for Riverview which attracts top riders from around the world, and since its inception in 1998, has raised more than \$650,000 for the Jane H. and John Marshall Booker Cancer Center at Riverview Medical Center, chaired by Carol Stillwell; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Chosen Freeholders, on the occasion of the 113th Annual Monmouth County Horse Show and the running of the Stillwell-Hansen Grand Prix, hereby proclaims this date, August 20-24, 2008, to be known as

"Monmouth County Horse Show Days"
in the County of Monmouth.

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