

RESOLUTION #2010-049
TOWNSHIP OF HADDON
COUNTY OF CAMDEN

SUBJECT: PROCLAIMING ARBOR DAY 2010

WHEREAS, in 1872 J. Sterling Morton proposed to the Nebraska Board of Agriculture that a special day be set aside for the planting of trees; and

WHEREAS, this holiday, called Arbor Day, was first observed with the planting of more than a million trees in Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, 2010 is the 138th anniversary of the holiday and Arbor Day is now observed throughout the nation and the world; and

WHEREAS, trees can reduce the erosion of our precious topsoil by wind and water, cut heating and cooling costs, moderate the temperature, clean the air, produce life-giving oxygen, and provide habitat for wildlife; and

WHEREAS, trees are a renewable resource giving us paper, wood for our homes, fuel for our fires, and beautify our community; and

WHEREAS, trees wherever they are planted, are a source of joy and spiritual renewal.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Haddon, County of Camden and State of New Jersey, do hereby proclaim April 30, 2010 as the 138th anniversary celebration of **ARBOR DAY** in the Township of Haddon, and urge all citizens to celebrate Arbor Day and to support efforts to protect our trees and woodlands; and

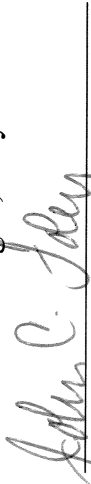
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all citizens are urged to plant trees to gladden the heart and promote the well being of this and future generations;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Haddon commend the hard work and accomplishments of the Haddon Township Shade Tree Commission on their 2nd Anniversary.

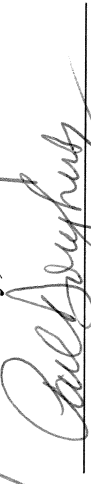
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



Randall W. Teague, Mayor



John C. Foley, Commissioner



Paul Dougherty, Commissioner

I, hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Haddon at a meeting held on the March 26, 2010.



Denise P. Adams, Township Clerk