

The
MAYOR & BOROUGH COUNCIL
of the
BOROUGH OF GLEN RIDGE
County of Essex
State of New Jersey

Monday, March 11th, 2013.

RESOLUTION NO. 50 - 13

Offered By Councilperson BAKER
Seconded By Councilperson _____

**Resolution Supporting Participation In the Sustainable
Jersey® Municipal Certification Program**

WHEREAS, a sustainable community seeks to optimize quality of life for its residents by ensuring that its environmental, economic and social objectives are balanced and mutually supportive; **and**,

WHEREAS, The Borough Of Glen Ridge strives to save tax dollars, assure clean land, air and water, improve working and living environments as steps to building a sustainable community that will thrive well into the new century; **and**,

WHEREAS, The Borough Of Glen Ridge hereby acknowledges that the residents of The Borough Of Glen Ridge desire a stable, sustainable future for themselves and future generations; **and**,

WHEREAS, The Borough Of Glen Ridge wishes to support a model of government which benefits our residents now and far into the future by exploring and adopting sustainable, economically-sound, local government practices; **and**,

WHEREAS, by endorsing a sustainable path The Borough Of Glen Ridge is pledging to educate itself and community members further about sustainable activities and to develop initiatives supporting sustainable local government practices; **and**,

WHEREAS, as elected representatives of The Borough Of Glen Ridge, we have a significant responsibility to provide leadership which will seek community-based sustainable solutions to strengthen our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that to focus attention and effort within The Borough Of Glen Ridge on matters of sustainability, the Mayor and Council wishes to pursue local initiatives and actions that will lead to Sustainable Jersey Municipal Certification; **and**,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by The Mayor and Council of The Borough of Glen Ridge that we do hereby authorize the Borough Administrator to serve as The Borough's agent for The Sustainable Jersey Municipal Certification process and authorize the him to complete the Municipal Registration on behalf of The Borough Of Glen Ridge.