

## Resolution of the Township of Bernards

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## **Resolution #2019-0436**

85<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Basking Ridge Chapter, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR) November 6th, 2019

**WHEREAS,** service to others is a hallmark of the American character, and central to how we meet our challenges; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, (NSDAR) is a nonprofit, nonpolitical volunteer women's service organization dedicated to promoting patriotism, preserving American history and securing America's future through better education; and

WHEREAS, in communities all across the United States, DAR members participate in "restoring and maintaining historical sites, preserving genealogical records, artifacts and historical documents, locating, restoring and marking Revolutionary War patriot gravesites and headstones, supporting schools through donations and volunteer efforts, providing scholarships and awards to outstanding students throughout the country, promoting education and citizenship through youth programs, sponsoring American history essay contests for youth, providing volunteer time to assist military veterans, supporting America's service personnel through a variety of programs, sponsoring special programs promoting the Constitution, celebrating with new citizens at naturalization ceremonies"; and

**WHEREAS,** National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution participants serve in more than 3,000 chapters in all 50 states, Washing ton, DC and International chapters in Australia, Austria, The Bahamas, Bermuda, Canada, France, Germany, Guam, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Spain and the United Kingdom, bolstering the civic, neighborhood, and faith-based organizations that are so vital to our economic and social well-being; and

**WHEREAS**, the Basking Ridge Chapter, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution participants address some of the most pressing challenges facing our cities and counties, from supporting veterans and military families, investing in community services as a way to give back to our communities and recognizing local citizens for outstanding achievements in cultural, educational, humanitarian, patriotic and citizenship work in their communities; and

**WHEREAS,** November 6, 2019, marks the eighty fifth anniversary of the founding of the Basking Ridge Chapter, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESVOLED,** by the Township Committee of the Township of Bernards that we do hereby recognize November 6th, 2019, as the 85<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Basking Ridge Chapter, NSDAR in Bernards Township, NJ and congratulate and thank members, both current and past, for the services they have given to Somerset County.

Agenda and Date Voted: 10/29/2019

## **CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify this is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted by the Bernards Township Committee on 10/29/2019.

Rhonda Pisano, Municipal Clerk