

**CAPE MAY COUNTY LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES  
COUNTY OF CAPE MAY  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
RESOLUTION 03-2015**

Date: March 24, 2015

**Subject: Acknowledging William Dressel's 41 Years of Service to the Citizens and Elected Officials of Cape May County and the State of New Jersey**

**Whereas**, it is with great joy and also a heavy heart that we congratulate William Dressel on his upcoming retirement from the New Jersey League of Municipalities, and

**Whereas**, William Dressel has dedicated 41 years to servicing to the citizens and elected officials in the State of New Jersey New Jersey, and

**Whereas**, New Jersey's municipal officials have been able to depend on the good advice and impassioned advocacy of New Jersey League of Municipalities' Executive Director Bill Dressel for the last 41 years; and

**Whereas**, William Dressel has gained the respect of all the New Jersey legislators and municipal officials who have learned to rely on him for an accurate and articulate appraisal of the impact of state policy options on New Jersey municipalities and property taxpayers, and

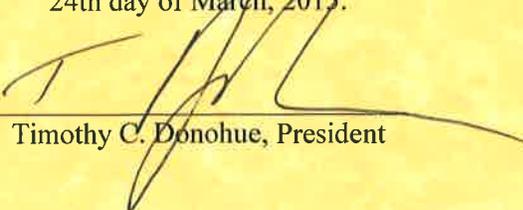
**Whereas**, his has been a steady, unwavering advocate for generations of New Jersey local elected officials who have relied on his service as their eyes, ears and voice in Trenton, and

**Whereas**, William Dressel has sacrificed so much of his life to improve the quality of the lives of all those who reside and visit all 565 municipalities in the State of New Jersey.

**Now, Therefore Be It Resolved** that the membership of the Cape May County League of Municipalities hereby acknowledges the 41 years of outstanding service he has bestowed on the residents of this great state and wish him well in his retirement.

I, Timothy C. Donohue, President of the Cape May County League of Municipalities, Cape May County, State of New Jersey do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Cape May County League of Municipalities at a meeting of said League, held on March 24, 2015 and said Resolution was adopted by not less than a two-thirds vote of the members of the governing body.

Witness my hand and seal of  
the Township of Middle, this  
24th day of March, 2015.

  
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Timothy C. Donohue, President

**CAPE MAY COUNTY LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES  
COUNTY OF CAPE MAY  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
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Date: March 24, 2015

Subject: **Celebrating the New Jersey State League of Municipalities 100<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary**

**Whereas**, for 100 years New Jersey's elected officials have had a united and strong voice serving to advocate for them in the State House, and

**Whereas**, the New Jersey State League of Municipalities was founded in order to preserve and foster the ideal of grass roots democracy and to provide guidance and support to local municipalities in the State of New Jersey; and

**Whereas**, the NJLOM has been a reliable watchdog for municipalities reviewing over 400 bills coming out of the legislature annually and providing sound guidance and support with respect to said legislation to its members; and

**Whereas**, some of the New Jersey League of Municipalities' greatest accomplishments over the past 100 years are their efforts in influencing the creation of the Home Rule Act, the Zoning Act, the Municipal Budget Act, the In-Rem Foreclosure Act, revisions to the Fiscal Affairs Laws, Budget Laws, Bond Laws, and Municipal Land Use Laws and their contributions to the creation of an actuarially sound Police and Fireman's Retirement System and the Police Training Commission to name a few, and

**Whereas**, the NJLOM has served as an advocate for generations of New Jersey local elected officials who have relied on its employees to be the eyes, ears and a loud and powerful voice in Trenton, and

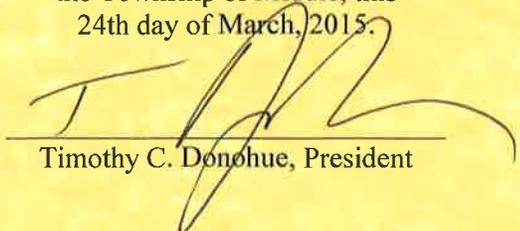
**Whereas**, through education programs offered at the annual League of Municipalities Conference held in Atlantic City and other local conferences held at different venues throughout the State during the course of the year, municipal employees are offered training and updates in a vast array of fields and disciplines, and

**Whereas**, the New Jersey League of Municipalities has vastly improved the quality of the lives of all those who reside and visit all 565 municipalities in the State of New Jersey through their strong voice, educational expertise and advocacy for taxpayers and elected officials alike.

**Now, Therefore Be It Resolved** that the membership of the Cape May County League of Municipalities hereby acknowledges the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the New Jersey State League of Municipalities.

I, Timothy C. Donohue, President of the Cape May County League of Municipalities, Cape May County, State of New Jersey do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Cape May County League of Municipalities at a meeting of said League, held on March 24, 2015 and said Resolution was adopted by not less than a two-thirds vote of the members of the governing body.

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## RESOLUTION # 49-15

### RETIREMENT OF BILL DRESSEL, JR.

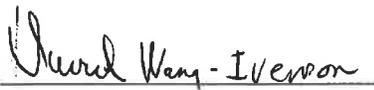
WHEREAS, at their 100<sup>th</sup> year anniversary celebration on May 7, 2015, the New Jersey State League of Municipalities will also be celebrating the up-coming retirement of Bill Dressel, Jr., a member of the League since 1974, who has served as the Executive Director since 1995; and

WHEREAS, under Bill Dressel, Jr.'s tenure at the League of Municipalities since 1974 and as Executive Director in 1995, he has made significant contributions to all municipalities of the State of New Jersey through his leadership and his advocacy for municipal government and has been a guiding force in the development of legislation pertinent to the protection of home rule and local involvement; and

WHEREAS, New Jersey municipalities benefit greatly from the League's never ending vigilance in keeping them abreast of legislative initiatives and actions and much so under the watchful eye and ears of Bill Dressel, Jr., whose involvement in New Jersey government has been exemplary on both a professional and personal level;

NOW, HEREBY, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township Committee acknowledge the upcoming retirement of Bill Dressel, Jr. on June 30, 2015, and wish him sincere best wishes in all future endeavors!

By Order of the Township Committee,

  
David Wang-Iverson, Mayor

Attest:   
Teresa R. Stahl, RMC/CMC  
Municipal Clerk

March 12, 2015





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**RESOLUTION #48-15**

**LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES 100<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY**

WHEREAS, well over 100 years ago, government officials found a need to consolidate efforts of municipalities as a joint effort to collectively pursue municipal interests and represent them both before the State Legislature and elsewhere; and

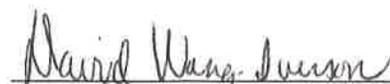
WHEREAS in May 1915 the League of Municipalities was formed under the direction of Mayor Donnelly of Trenton with groundwork laid at a meeting in Trenton in February, 1915 with a bill introduced and passed by the Legislature which authorized municipalities in this State to join or to form and join an organization of municipalities for joint municipal action upon questions affecting the general welfare of such municipalities” and becoming law in April 1915; and

WHEREAS, from the beginning of its creation, the New Jersey League of Municipalities has been a proponent of joint action while maintaining their belief of Home Rule for all municipalities, based on presenting factual, accurate, and timely information to the municipalities it serves; and

WHEREAS, from its inception in May 1915, when 51 municipalities joined the organization until now in the Spring of 2015 when there are 564 members of the League, this organization has worked for the betterment of all municipal agencies, being a tremendous force in the development of legislation pertinent to all forms of government in New Jersey and being a “guard-dog” for the municipalities in keeping them advised of matters of significance to each and every one of us;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Committee of the Township of East Amwell, County of Hunterdon, State of New Jersey, acknowledges their appreciation to the League of Municipalities for exemplary service throughout the years and sends all best wishes for a Happy 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration on May 7, 2015.

By Order of the Township Committee,

  
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David Wang-Iverson, Mayor

Attest:   
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Teresa R. Stahl, RMC/CMC  
Municipal Clerk

March 12, 2015

