RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF GLOUCESTER CITY County of Camden, State of New Jersey #R \\\ \|_0\5 - 2019

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 City of Gloucester City 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 City of Gloucester City hereby acknowledges that the residents of Gloucester City desire a stable, sustainable future for themselves and future generations; and

WHEREAS, the City of Gloucester City 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 City of Gloucester City 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 City of Gloucester City, we have a significant responsibility to provide leadership which will seek community-based sustainable solutions to strengthen our community; and

WHEREAS, in an attempt to focus attention on "Green" issues, the City continues to support the Gloucester City Green Team (GCGT);

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that to focus attention and effort within the City of Gloucester City on matters of sustainability, the Governing Body of Gloucester City wishes to pursue local initiatives and actions that will lead to Sustainable Jersey Municipal Certification.

Daniel T. Spencer, Jr., Mayor

Passed by the Mayor and Common Council of Gloucester City this 25th day of July, 2019.

Vanessa L. Parent, City Clerk