

Mayor Nolan offered the following Resolution and moved its adoption:

**R-11-81**

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TONNAGE GRANT APPLICATION**

**WHEREAS**, the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act, P.L. 1987, c.102 has established a recycling fund from which tonnage grants may be made to municipalities in order to encourage local source separation and recycling programs; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the intent and the spirit of the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act to use the tonnage grants to develop new municipal recycling programs and to continue to expand existing programs; and

**WHEREAS**, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection has promulgated recycling regulations to implement the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act; and

**WHEREAS**, recycling regulations imposed on municipalities certain requirements as conditions for applying for tonnage grants, including but not limited to, making and keeping accurate, verifiable records of materials collected and claimed by the municipality; and

**WHEREAS**, a resolution authorizing this municipality to apply for such tonnage grants will memorialize the commitment of this municipality to recycle and to indicate the assent of the Borough of Highlands to the efforts undertaken by the municipality and the requirements contained in the Recycling Act and recycling regulations;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Governing Body of the Borough of Highlands that the Borough of Highlands hereby endorses the submission of the recycling tonnage grant application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and designates Reggie Robertson as the Recycling Coordinator for the Borough of Highlands and that he is to ensure that the application is properly filed;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the monies received from the recycling tonnage grant be deposited in a dedicated recycling trust fund to be used solely for the purpose of recycling.

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Seconded by Ms. Kane and adopted on the following roll call vote:

**ROLL CALL:**

**AYES: Mr. Connelly, Mr. Francy, Ms. Kane, Mayor Nolan**

**NAYES:**

**ABSENT: Mr. O'Neil**

**ABSTAIN: None**

**DATE: March 16, 2011**

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**CAROLYN CUMMINS**  
**Borough Clerk**

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the resolution adopted by the Governing Body of the Borough of Highlands at their meeting held on March 16, 2011.

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**BOROUGH CLERK/DEPUTY CLERK**