



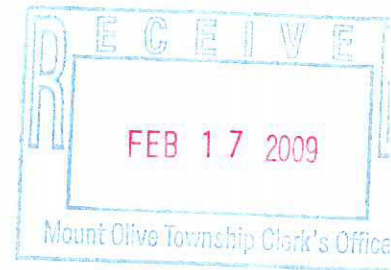
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Mary C. Cilurso, Municipal Clerk



February 13, 2009

TO: The Honorable Jon Corzine, Governor of the State of New Jersey
The Honorable Anthony R. Bucco, Senator
The Honorable Michael Carroll, Assemblyman
The Honorable Rick Merkt, Assemblyman
All Morris County Municipalities

SUBJ: Resolution in Support of Assembly Bill A-3570

Enclosed please find a certified copy of the above captioned resolution adopted by the Township Council of the Township of Rockaway at its meeting of February 3, 2009. The Governing Body urges the Legislature to immediately Adopt Assembly Bill A-3570.

Your consideration of this resolution is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Mary Cilurso, RMC/CMC
Township Clerk

MC:bk

Enclosure

c: Rockaway Township Mayor and Council
Rockaway Township Business Administrator

R09-27
RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF ASSEMBLY BILL A-3570

WHEREAS, the Township of Rockaway in the County of Morris, New Jersey, has consistently, over a twenty year period, embraced its responsibility to provide affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, COAH'S demands for towns to prepare and obtain approval for new affordable housing plans, the economic development of Rockaway Township is placed on hold at a time of deepening economic recession; and

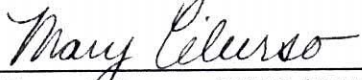
WHEREAS, COAH exhibits the zealous arrogance of an agency without boundaries or controls, indifferent to the well-being of the state and its crippled economy; and

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill A-3570 proposes the abolition of COAH, which in turn, will force the legislative and executive branches to come together to adapt corrective legislation addressing the needs of affordable housing employing a more reasonable approach.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Rockaway in Morris County, New Jersey, that the State Assembly and Senate are called upon to immediately adopt A-3570.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution shall be distributed to the Governor, Township of Rockaway's legislative delegation, and all municipalities of Morris County.

I HEREBY CERTIFY above to be a true copy of a Resolution Adopted by the Mayor and Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on February 3, 2009



Mary Cilurso, RMC/CMC
Township Clerk