

**TOWNSHIP OF MOORESTOWN**

**RESOLUTION NO. 145-2016**

**RECOGNIZING MOORESTOWN COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM  
VOLUNTEERS AS OFFICIAL MEMBERS OF THE  
MOORESTOWN OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

WHEREAS, the Township of Moorestown has determined that it is in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare that the Township maintain a Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) through the Moorestown Township Office of Emergency Management; and

WHEREAS, the CERT is staffed with volunteers who have expressed an interest in volunteering their services as members of the Moorestown Township CERT; have successfully completed eighteen (18) hours of training, scheduled in 2-4 hour modules, over a period of eight (8) weeks, in the following areas; Basic First Aid, Family Disaster Preparedness, Disaster Fire Suppression, Medical Operations, CERT Operations, Disaster Mental Health, Basic Emergency Management, and Disaster Simulation; and

WHEREAS, in order for such volunteers to have the benefit of the Township's insurance protections for emergency responders in performing their duties on the CERT, these members must be recognized by the Township Council.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Moorestown, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey that members who have been certified and serve on the Moorestown Township Community Emergency Response Team are hereby recognized as "Emergency Management Volunteers" within the Moorestown Township's emergency response capabilities.

VOTE:  
JORDAN  
GARWOOD  
NAPOLITANO  
DELGADO  
PETRIELLO

Certified to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Moorestown Township Council at a meeting held on, July 25, 2016.

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Patricia L. Hunt, RMC, Township Clerk