

ADOPTED
MAY -2 2013

RESOLUTION R: 174 – 13

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE COALITION AGAINST
FRACKING WASTE AND POSSIBLE FRACKING PRACTICES IN THE STATE
OF NEW JERSEY BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF
GLASSBORO**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Glassboro is a residential community in the State of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, the Anti-Fracking Campaign is a concern of all residents and local businesses of as well as the statewide population of New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, fracking is an operation performed by gas companies in which water mixed with hazardous chemicals is pumped into the earth to extract natural gas. This type of procedure causes a great amount of water, soil, land, and air pollution; and

WHEREAS, fracking wastewater is known to contain many well-known carcinogens; and

WHEREAS, many of the chemical compounds injected during hydraulic fracturing have known adverse health effects and/or adverse environmental impacts; and

WHEREAS, President George W. Bush’s EPQ point person on water now admits fracking should not have been exempted from regulation; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Glassboro can directly aid in the support of the anti-fracking campaign and join the coalition for the protection of our public water, local and statewide health, natural resources, and ecosystem stability; and

WHEREAS, current evidence suggests that without a ban on hydraulic fracturing processes, the Borough of Glassboro and its citizens are very likely to be negatively affected.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Glassboro, in the County of Gloucester and State of New Jersey, does hereby join in support of the New Jersey Anti-Fracking Coalition, to end the possibility of hydraulic fracturing and hydraulic fracturing waste from being legalized in the State of New Jersey.

ADOPTED at a meeting of the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Glassboro at Glassboro, in the County of Gloucester and State of New Jersey held on Thursday, May 2, 2013.

BOROUGH OF GLASSBORO


LEO J. McCABE, Mayor

Attest:


PATRICIA A. FRONTINO, Municipal Clerk

CERTIFICATION

I, Patricia A. Frontino, Municipal Clerk, of the Borough of Glassboro, in the County of Gloucester, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was presented and duly adopted by the Borough Council at a meeting of the Borough of Glassboro held on Thursday, May 2, 2013.


PATRICIA A. FRONTINO
Municipal Clerk