RESOLUTION NO. 2017-<u>82</u>

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SHARON FLAIM, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT/MUNICIPAL RECYCLING COORDINATOR, TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT TO THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY THE 2016 RECYCLING TONNAGE GRANT APPLICATION AND REPORT.

WHEREAS, the Mandatory Source Separation and Recycling Act, P.L. 1987, has established a recycling fund from which the tonnage grant 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 and to expand existing programs: and

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

WHEREAS, the recycling regulations impose on municipalities certain requirements as a condition 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 recycling and to indicate the assent of *the City Council of the City of Vineland* to the efforts undertaken by the municipality and the requirements contained in the Recycling Act and recycling regulations; and

WHEREAS, such a resolution should designate the individual authorized to ensure the application is properly completed and filed in a timely manner hold the certifications of a *Certified Recycling Professional* as required by the DEP,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the *City Council* of *the City of Vineland* hereby endorses the submission of Municipal Recycling Tonnage Grant Application to the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Office of Recycling and designates *Sharon Flaim, Certified Recycling Professional and Assistant Director of Solid Waste Management,* to ensure that the said application is properly filed.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the *City Council of the City of Vineland* that the monies received from the recycling tonnage grant be deposited in a dedicated Recycling Trust Fund to be used solely for the purposes of recycling.

Adopted:

President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk