RESOLUTION NO. 2025- 148

A RESOLUTION AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 2024-583, AS TO ADD THE VINELAND VOICE NEWSPAPER TO THE LIST OF DESGNATED NEWSPAPERS APPROVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY TO RECEIVE PUBLIC NOTICES AS REQUIRED UNDER THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT.

WHEREAS, The Open Public Meetings Act of 1975 requires that a schedule of regular meetings of Council be posted in a public place, communicated to at least two newspapers that are paid, published and distributed within the municipality and for the notice to be filed in the office of the Municipal Clerk; and

WHEREAS, On December 10, 2024 City Council approved Resolution No. 2024-583 to comply with the Open Public Meetings Act of 1975 requiring the Municipal Clerk to list the schedule of regular meetings of Council be placed in a public place reserved for public announcements and filed with the Clerk of the Municipality and named the Daily Journal and The Press of Atlantic City as designated newspapers to receive all notices and meetings required under the Open Public Meetings Act; and

WHEREAS, Since adoption of the Resolution, The "Vineland Voice" is a new local newspaper that has emerged in the City which is paid, published and circulated in the Municipality; and

WHEREAS, the governing body believes it to be in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Vineland to add the "Vineland Voice" as an additional local newspaper to the designated list of newspapers to receive public notices to better inform and give right of citizens to have adequate advance notice of and the right to attend meetings of public bodies at which business affecting the public may be discussed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VINELAND, THAT:

1. Resolution No. 2024-583, Section 3 be amended to include the "Vineland Voice" Newspaper to the list of designated newspapers to receive all notices of meetings required under the Open Public Meetings Act.

Adopted: March 25, 2025

Council President pfs

ATTEST:

City Clerk

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