

NEW JERSEY ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES
RESOLUTION - 2016 NATIONAL COUNTY GOVERNMENT MONTH
"SAFE AND SECURE COUNTIES"
Adopted: January 29, 2016

WHEREAS, the nation's 3,069 counties serving more than 300 million Americans provide essential services to create healthy, safe, vibrant and economically resilient communities; and

WHEREAS, counties move America forward by providing health care, administering justice, keeping communities safe, creating economic opportunities and much more; and


WHEREAS, the New Jersey Association of Counties and all 21 New Jersey counties take pride in their responsibility to protect and enhance the health, welfare and safety of its residents in efficient and cost-effective ways; and

WHEREAS, through National Association of Counties President Sallie Clark's "Safe and Secure Counties" initiative, NACo is encouraging counties to focus on how they have strengthened the safety and security their communities through public health, justice, emergency preparedness and response, and economic activities; and

WHEREAS, in order to remain healthy, vibrant, safe, and economically competitive, America's counties provide public health, justice, emergency management and economic services that play a key role in everything from residents' daily health to disaster response; and

WHEREAS, each year since 1991 the National Association of Counties has encouraged counties across the country to actively promote their own programs and services to the public they serve; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the New Jersey Association of Counties, do hereby proclaim April 2016 as National County Government Month and encourage all county officials, employees, schools and residents to participate in county government celebration activities.

Signed: 
John W. King, NJAC President
Hunterdon County Freeholder

Date: January 29, 2016

