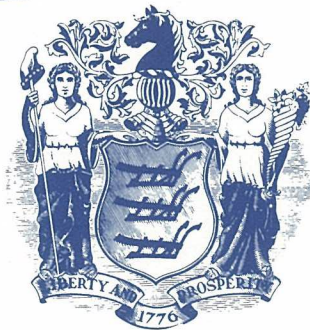


State of New Jersey



THE SENATE AND GENERAL ASSEMBLY STATE HOUSE, TRENTON, N.J.

JOINT LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION

By Senate President SWEENEY, Assembly Speaker PRIETO and All Members of the Legislature

WHEREAS, The Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey are pleased to honor and salute the New Jersey State League of Municipalities, a highly esteemed organization within the Garden State community, upon the auspicious occasion of its One Hundredth Anniversary, which will be celebrated on May 7, 2015; and,

WHEREAS, The New Jersey State League of Municipalities, which was organized during a meeting in Trenton in February 1915, is commended for the worthwhile services and programs it administers in behalf of the members of the Garden State community; and,

WHEREAS, The New Jersey State League of Municipalities has grown from its original membership of fifty-one municipalities to more than five hundred, and twenty thousand individuals regularly attend the League Conference; and,

WHEREAS, Throughout the past century, numerous committees have been created to assist in formulating League policies, such as the Advisory Committee, the Legislative Committee, and several Conference Committees, and its many legislative accomplishments include the Zoning Act of 1928, relief financing, the Municipal Budget Act of 1936, and property tax exemption reforms; and,

WHEREAS, In addition, the League was instrumental in the creation of the Bureau of Government Research at Rutgers University in 1950, in the distribution of information to local officials through its magazine, *New Jersey Municipalities*, and in the publishing of periodic special reports for distributions to member municipalities; and,

WHEREAS, The leaders and staff of the New Jersey State League of Municipalities have worked tirelessly and effectively in benefit of others and are recognized and saluted for their exemplary dedication and motivation that have contributed to its sterling reputation; and,

WHEREAS, It is both proper and fitting for this Legislature to pause in its deliberations to pay tribute to New Jersey State League of Municipalities's outstanding service to the people of this State for one hundred years; now, therefore,

Be It Resolved by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

That this Legislature hereby honors the New Jersey State League of Municipalities in recognition of its One Hundredth Anniversary, commends its meritorious service, dedication, and commitment, and extends sincere best wishes for its continued success and vigor; and,

Be It Further Resolved, That a duly authenticated copy of this resolution, signed by the Senate President and the Assembly Speaker and attested by the Senate Secretary and the Assembly Clerk, be transmitted to the New Jersey State League of Municipalities.

Attest:



Jennifer A. McQuaid
Secretary of the Senate



Dana M. Burley
Clerk of the General Assembly


President of the Senate


Speaker of the General Assembly