

BOROUGH OF RED BANK

COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

RESOLUTION NO. 08-136

**A RESOLUTION HONORING KASANDRA EKin
AS HIGHEST RANKING RED BANK SENIOR**

Ms. Horgan offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, Kasandra Ekin is the highest ranking Red Bank senior at Red Bank Regional High School and was honored at an Academic Awards Ceremony on June 9, 2008; and

WHEREAS, Kasandra ranked in the top three percent of her class where she always opted for the most advanced classes possible and as a direct result of her academic success has been inducted into the French and National Honor Societies; and

WHEREAS, Kasandra is an outstanding scholar, a talented dancer, an excellent writer and role model; and

WHEREAS, in addition to challenging herself with the most academic program possible, Kasandra majored in Dance which is a program within the prestigious Visual and Performing Arts Academy; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her busy academic schedule, Kasandra has been a dedicated student-advocate who has served in the Student to Student peer leadership program and as a tutor on campus as well as the YMCA and has devoted over a hundred hours of service to the Marc A. Zanichelli Memorial Scholarship Fund to benefit victims of violent crimes; and

WHEREAS, as a student athlete, Kasandra has been an invaluable member of the Varsity and Junior Varsity Volleyball teams; and

WHEREAS, as a student from a multiethnic family, Kasandra has learned to use the contrasting influences of her Turkish-American experience to expand her insight and love for the world's mosaic beauty and this insight has driven her dream for a role in global justice and international affairs which she will study at the University of Virginia; and

WHEREAS, Kasandra has instilled a sense of pride in all of the citizens of the Borough of Red Bank as a result of her outstanding achievements;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Red Bank offer their sincere congratulations to Kasandra Ekin and offer her sincere congratulations and best wishes for a bright and successful future.

Seconded by Mr. DuPont and adopted on roll call by the following vote:

	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Mr. Curley	(x)	()	()	()
Mr. Murphy	(x)	()	()	()
Ms. Lee	(x)	()	()	()
Mr. DuPont	(x)	()	()	()
Ms. Cangemi	(x)	()	()	()
Ms. Horgan	(x)	()	()	()

Dated: June 23, 2008