

BOROUGH OF RED BANK

COUNTY OF MONMOUTH

RESOLUTION NO. 15-18

A RESOLUTION HONORING FLORENCE "BETTI" P. THOMPSON

Councilman Murphy offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Florence "Betti" P. Thompson settled in Red Bank in 1958 and spent many years in public service to her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Thompson was a member of the staff at the Red Bank Middle School for 23 years, beginning as a teacher and later becoming a guidance counselor and through her untiring efforts and positive attitude helped change the lives of many of her former students; and

WHEREAS, during her tenure with the Red Bank school system she served as President of the Red Bank Teachers' Association and also served as Vice President and President of the Red Bank Regional Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, Betti joined the Red Bank Borough Council in 1991 where she served as Commissioner of the Parks and Recreation Department and Council Representative to the Red Bank Senior Citizen Center until 2003 and was instrumental in the securing and development of the award winning Riverside Gardens Park for future generations of Red Bank residents; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Thompson was an integral part of the Borough of Red Bank for many years and her legacy and positive influence remain a part of our community today.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Red Bank to honor Florence "Betti" P. Thompson and thank her for her service to our Community, her guidance and her friendship and wish her all the best in the years to come.

Seconded by Councilman Zipprich and adopted on roll call by the following vote:

	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Councilman Murphy	(X)	()	()	()
Councilwoman Burnham	(X)	()	()	()
Councilwoman Horgan	()	()	()	(X)
Councilwoman Schwabenbauer	(X)	()	()	()
Councilman Zipprich	(X)	()	()	()
Councilman DuPont	(X)	()	()	()

Dated: January 14, 2015