

**BOROUGH OF RED BANK  
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH  
RESOLUTION NO. 13-151**

**A RESOLUTION COMMENDING ALYSSA MAY ON BEING NAMED  
TEACHER OF THE YEAR FOR THE RED BANK PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Councilwoman Horgan offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

**WHEREAS**, Alyssa May was born and raised in Monmouth County, New Jersey and attended Monmouth University for both undergraduate and graduate studies where she majored in Anthropology and minored in Psychology and in her graduate studies participated in the Masters in the Art of Teaching program with an additional English as a Second Language endorsement; and

**WHEREAS**, since childhood, she has maintained a strong interest in other cultures and languages and, during her undergraduate program, she was involved with tutoring adults learning English as a second language and this, along with a desire to combine her interest in cultures, languages and teaching, led her to become a educator certified in that field; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. May began her career as a student teacher in at the Red Bank Primary School in 2010 and said she immediately fell in love with the children, teachers and the school and was then hired as a long term substitute; and

**WHEREAS**, she said her first year of teaching in Red Bank provided her with a wide range of experiences that affirmed her interest in teaching in the Borough and she is now in her second year as a Kindergarten teacher at the Red Bank Primary School and says she feels she has had several opportunities and experiences that have allowed her to grow as both an individual and as an educator and says her biggest achievement has been contributing to the academic and social growth of her students; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of her dedication to the children of Red Bank, Ms. May been named by the Red Bank Primary School as its Teacher of the Year for 2013:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Red Bank to commend and congratulate Alyssa May on the accomplishment of being named 2013 Teacher of the Year and, on behalf of the citizens of Red Bank, thank her for her dedication to the Borough's children and express to her the warmest and best wishes for continuing health and happiness.

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

|              | Yes   | No  | Abstain | Absent |
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| Ms. Lewis    | ( X ) | ( ) | ( )     | ( )    |
| Mr. Zipprich | ( X ) | ( ) | ( )     | ( )    |
| Mr. DuPont   | ( X ) | ( ) | ( )     | ( )    |
| Ms. Horgan   | ( X ) | ( ) | ( )     | ( )    |
| Ms. Lee      | ( X ) | ( ) | ( )     | ( )    |
| Mr. Murphy   | ( X ) | ( ) | ( )     | ( )    |

Dated: June 26, 2013