

BOROUGH OF RED BANK
COUNTY OF MONMOUTH
RESOLUTION NO. 11-132

A RESOLUTION COMMENDING FIREFIGHTER BRUCE MACDONALD

Mr. DuPont offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, Bruce MacDonald, a member of the Independent Engine Company of the Red Bank Volunteer Fire Department and an ex-Chief of the Department, responded to a call of a working structure fire on the afternoon of April 18, 2010; and

WHEREAS, while the fire was being extinguished, a search was conducted on the upper floors of the structure and Firefighter MacDonald, along with Firefighter and ex-Chief Alan Soden Jr., located a victim who had been trapped in her third floor apartment;

WHEREAS, Chief MacDonald battled heavy smoke and heat to assist the resident to exit the premises safely; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council wish to commend Chief Bruce MacDonald for his quick and decisive actions in assisting the resident from the burning building and that we extend the appreciation of the Red Bank Volunteer Fire Department and the residents of the Borough of Red Bank for his selfless act of service to the people of Red Bank.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council ask that a copy of this resolution be placed in his personnel file.

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

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

Dated: June 22, 2011