

**RESOLUTION  
TOWNSHIP OF FRANKLIN  
RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION UNDER THE  
URGENT NEEDS CRITERIA FOR THE GLOUCESTER COUNTY PROGRAM YEAR  
2014 CDBG MUNICIPAL PROJECT PROGRAM  
R-74-14**

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Franklin has completed the 2014 Gloucester County Community Development Block Grant Project Application; and

**WHEREAS**, based on the testing within the last month at the Pennsylvania Avenue landfill/recreation fields the active venting soil vapor extraction remediation project became urgent. The level of methane poses a serious and immediate threat to the health and welfare of the community. The facility to be remediated is the primary sports fields for the spring and summer baseball teams, hockey teams, and football teams that serve all of the Township residents and hosts games from teams throughout the county, region and state; and

**WHEREAS**, the Township of Franklin does not have the ability to finance the project with the existing funds and other sources of funding have not yet become available. Due to the urgency of the project, the Township is anticipating the project will be completed within the next four months; and

**WHEREAS**, the Governing Body has agreed to support the application under the “urgent needs” conditions of the grant; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, BY THE Township Committee of the Township of Franklin, Gloucester County, State of New Jersey that the Mayor is authorized to sign the 2014 Gloucester County Community Development Block Grant Project Application and submit same along with all necessary documentation to the County’s Department of Economic Development, Division of Housing and Community Development.

**ADOPTED**, at a regular meeting to the Township Committee of the Township of Franklin on Tuesday, April 22, 2014.

Attest:

Township of Franklin

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Barbara Freijomil, Clerk

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Edward Leopardi, Mayor

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Barbara Freijomil, Clerk of the Township of Franklin, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was presented and duly adopted by the Township Committee at a meeting held on Tuesday, April 22, 2014.

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Barbara Freijomil, Clerk