

**RESOLUTION  
R-193- 12**

**THE TOWNSHIP OF  
FRANKLIN, IN THE COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER  
RECOGNIZE NOVEMBER 24, 2012 AS “SHOP LOCAL SATURDAY”  
TO SUPPORT AND PROMOTE SMALL BUSINESS**

*WHEREAS*, Small Business Saturday is a nationally recognized annual event which began in 2010 on the Saturday after Black Friday; and

*WHEREAS*, the Mayor and Township Committee recognize the vital role small businesses play in our local economies and is supporting the Department of Economic Development as they begin marketing “Shop Local Saturday” which is our local version of the overwhelmingly successful national campaign; and

*WHEREAS*, the Department of Economic Development will work in cooperation with the Gloucester County Times and local Chambers of Commerce to promote and market the “Shop Local Saturday”; and

*WHEREAS*, the Mayor and Committee see this as an occasion to strengthen opportunities for Gloucester County’s small businesses by encouraging residents to support this effort.

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED*, by the Mayor and Township Committee of Franklin, as follows:

1. The Mayor and Township Committee hereby declare November 24, 2012 “Shop Local Saturday” and support the campaign to support and promote the event.
2. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon passage.

*ADOPTED* at a regular meeting of the Township Committee of the Township of Franklin, in the County of Gloucester and State of New Jersey held on Tuesday, November 13, 2012.

Attest:

Township of Franklin

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Barbara Freijomil, Clerk

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Joseph C. Petsch, 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, November 13, 2012.

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Barbara Freijomil, Clerk