RESOLUTION NO. 2015-270

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF VINELAND ENDORSING THE CITY'S HOUSING ELEMENT AND FAIR SHARE PLAN AND SEEKING COURT APPROVAL OF SAME

WHEREAS, the Planning Board of the City of Vineland, County of Cumberland, State of New Jersey, adopted an Amended Housing Element & Fair Share Plan (hereinafter "Affordable Housing Plan") on June 10, 2015; and

WHEREAS, a true copy of the resolution of the Planning Board adopting the Affordable Housing Plan is attached hereto as Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the City of Vineland wishes to endorse the Affordable Housing Plan; and to seek approval of the Affordable Housing Plan from the Court in its current form or any amended form.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

- 1. That the City's governing body hereby endorses the Affordable Housing Plan as adopted by the Planning Board of the City of Vineland on June 10, 2015; and
- 2. That the City's governing body hereby authorizes and directs its professionals to file the Affordable Housing Plan with the Court for review and approval; and
- 3. That the City hereby authorizes and directs its special <u>Mount Laurel</u> counsel in accordance with the Supreme Court opinion to file a declaratory relief action by July 8, 2015 and to file simultaneously a motion seeking to re-affirm the City's immunity while the Court reviews the City's new Affordable Housing plan.

Adopted:

President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk