## RESOLUTION NO. 2016-190

## A RESOLUTION PROVIDING EXPLANATION OF AMENDMENTS TO RECOMMENDED FLOOD HAZARD ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) directed the City to adopt a new flood hazard ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Board adopted Resolution No. 6163, which recommended a draft flood hazard ordinance to City Council on May 11, 2016; and

WHEREAS, City Council reviewed the draft recommended by the Planning Board, but incorporated amendments; and

WHEREAS, City Council is required to provide an explanation as to why amendments were made to the Planning Board recommendation in the adoption of Ordinance 2016-17;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Vineland that amendments were made to the flood hazard ordinance for the following reasons:

- 1. The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) required revisions related to manufactured home parks subsequent to the Planning Board's recommendation.
- 2. City Council changed the 'local administrator' from the Construction Official to the City Engineer, believing that the City Engineer is better qualified to deal with this type of environmental regulation.

Adopted:

President of Council

ATTEST:

City Clerk