

RESOLUTION 2008-81

NEW JERSEY HIGHLANDS WATER PROTECTION AND PLANNING COUNCIL APPROVAL OF FAIR SHARE PLANNING GRANT TO THE TOWN OF BELVIDERE

WHEREAS, the Highlands Water Protection and Planning Act (Highlands Act) has created a public body corporate and politic with corporate succession known as the Highlands Water Protection and Planning Council (Highlands Council); and

WHEREAS, the Highlands Act authorizes the Highlands Council to enter into any and all agreements or contracts, execute any and all instruments to carry out any power, duty or responsibility under the Highlands Act; and

WHEREAS, Section 18 of the Highlands Act authorizes the Highlands Council to make available grants and other financial and technical assistance to municipalities and counties in furtherance of the Regional Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, on August 4, 2005, the Highlands Council by Resolution 2005-27 authorized the initiation of a grant application process for certain grant categories, including Fair Share Planning grants; and

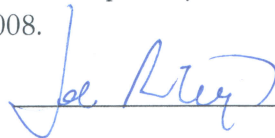
WHEREAS, municipalities have submitted grant applications to Highlands Council for COAH Fair Sharing Planning grants;

WHEREAS, the Highlands Council staff has reviewed the following grant application and recommends approval by the Highlands Council; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Highlands Council that the Executive Director, or her designees, is hereby authorized to enter into a grant agreement with the Town of Belvidere for a Fair Share Planning Grant in an amount not to exceed \$5,000, provided that the Executive Director may authorize additional amounts under this agreement pursuant to her authority under the Highlands Council Bylaws.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Highlands Council at its regular meeting held on the 18th day of December, 2008.



John Weingart, Chairman

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Vote on the Approval of this Resolution

	<u>Motion</u>	<u>Second</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Councilmember Alstede			✓			
Councilmember Calabrese			✓			
Councilmember Carluccio			✓			
Councilmember Cogger			✓			
Councilmember Dillingham						✓
Councilmember Kovach		✓	✓			
Councilmember Letts			✓			
Councilmember Pasquarelli						✓
Councilmember Peterson						✓
Councilmember Schrier	✓		✓			
Councilmember Vetrano						✓
Councilmember Way						✓
Councilmember Whitenack			✓			
Councilmember Weingart			✓			