

Office of the Mayor



# Proclamation

## Proclamation/Resolution Supporting the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* 2017 Year End Holiday Crackdown

**Whereas**, impaired drivers on our nation's roads killed 10,497 people in 2016; and

**Whereas**, 20% of motor vehicle fatalities in New Jersey are alcohol-related; and

**Whereas**, an enforcement crackdown is planned to combat impaired driving; and

**Whereas**, the season at the end of the year is traditionally a time of social gatherings which often include alcohol; and

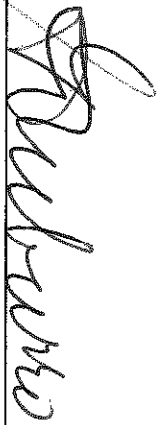
**Whereas**, the State of New Jersey, Division of Highway Traffic Safety, has asked law enforcement agencies throughout the state to participate in the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over Year End Holiday Crackdown*; and

**Whereas**, the project will involve increased impaired driving enforcement from December 8, 2017 through January 1, 2018; and

**Whereas**, an increase in impaired driving enforcement and a reduction in impaired driving will save lives on our roadways;

**Now, Therefore**, be it resolved, that I Gerald W. Tamburro, Mayor of the Township of Monroe, do hereby declare support for the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over 2017 Year End Holiday Crackdown* from December 8, 2017 through January 1, 2018 and pledges to increase awareness of the dangers of drinking and driving.

Dated: November 22, 2017

  
GERALD W. TAMBURRO, MAYOR