

Administrator

RESOLUTION MERGING THE OFFICE OF MENTAL WELLNESS AND SUPPORTIVE SERVICES, OFFICE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, AND OFFICE OF MOSQUITO CONTROL INTO THE DIVISION OF INTEGRATED HEALTH

WHEREAS, the Monmouth County Division of Behavioral Health serves residents through mental health and substance use services resources, such as but not limited to, advocacy on behalf of all residents who require assistance in accessing services, providing information and referral services for behavioral health services, coordinating planning for treatment and prevention services, and monitoring funded projects and programs; and

WHEREAS, the Monmouth County Adjuster's Office carries out statutory duties including but not limited to having charge and supervision of the preparation of papers relating to the admission and commitment of those with mental illnesses; and

WHEREAS, the Monmouth County Health Department is dedicated to enhancing the wellbeing of its community through comprehensive public health services and programs, including but not limited to disease prevention, health education, environmental health inspections, and emergency preparedness; and

WHEREAS, the Mosquito Control Division provides mosquito control and tick identification services to the residents of Monmouth County, utilizing an integrated pest management approach that focuses on controlling mosquito larvae; and

WHEREAS, the Division of Integrated Health serves a critical role in the integration and coordination of all health services for the County of Monmouth and its residents; and

WHEREAS, it is in the interest of government efficiency and the overall health and wellbeing of the residents of the County of Monmouth for the County Adjuster's Office to be

merged under the Division of Behavioral Health, and for the Division of Behavioral Health, Health Department, and Mosquito Control Division to be merged into the Division of Integrated Health and to report to the Director of Integrated Health.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Monmouth County Board of County Commissioners that the Division of Behavioral Health shall now be known as the Office of Mental Wellness and Supportive Services; the Health Department shall now be known as the Office of Public Health; and the Mosquito Control Division shall now be known as the Office of Mosquito Control.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Adjuster's Office shall be merged under the Office of Mental Wellness and Supportive Services.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Office of Mental Wellness and Supportive Services, Office of Public Health, and the Office of Mosquito Control shall hereby be merged into the Division of Integrated Health and report to the Director of Integrated Health.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the Board shall forward a certified true copy of this resolution to the County Administrator, County Adjuster's Office, Office of Mental Wellness and Supportive Services, Office of Public Health, Office of Mosquito Control, and the Director of Integrated Health.