

RESOLUTION R: 294 – 18

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF ELECTRIC VEHICLES IN THE BOROUGH
OF GLASSBORO, COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

WHEREAS , the municipality of Glassboro is committed to fostering increased adoption of electric vehicles and needed infrastructure in order to reduce global warming pollution and improve air quality in the municipality, the state, and nationally;

WHEREAS , Electrify New Jersey, in partnership with Jersey Renewables, a state coalition promoting the transition to clean, renewable energy in New Jersey, and ChargeEV, an diverse electric vehicle coalition, have developed a comprehensive framework to serve as a roadmap for creating a sustainable and growing EV market in New Jersey; and

WHEREAS , the Electrify New Jersey roadmap includes recommended goals and policy actions designed to:

- Expand public charging infrastructure;
- Foster greater affordability of EVs to increase adoption;
- Ensure sufficient private charging infrastructure;
- Ensure electrification solutions to reach all communities equitably;
- Ensure long term funding for the transportation trust fund;
- Build consumer awareness; and
- Support market development efforts; and


WHEREAS , electrifying the state's transportation system is one of the top priorities stated in the Jan. 1, 2018 recommendations of New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy's Environment and Energy Transition Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS , the widespread adoption of Electric Vehicles (EVs) will bring significant economic benefit, including lower electricity rates by recreating a more resilient and responsive electric grid and reduced vehicle operating costs, and substantial emission reductions that result in cleaner air for everyone; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the municipality of Glassboro, County of Gloucester, State of New Jersey, supports the implementation of New Jersey's Clean Car standards, the ability of states that adopt Clean Car standards to have stronger safeguards to protect the health of New Jerseyans above and beyond federal standards, and in opposition to efforts at the federal level by the current administration or Congress to weaken these standards or usurp local control to protect the state's residents from air pollution from the transportation sector.

ADOPTED at a meeting of Mayor and Council of the Borough of Glassboro, in the County of Gloucester and State of New Jersey, held on Tuesday, September 25, 2018.

BOROUGH OF GLASSBORO



JOHN E. WALLACE III, Mayor

ATTEST:



KAREN COSGROVE, Municipal Clerk

CERTIFICATION

I, Karen Cosgrove, Municipal Clerk, of the Borough of Glassboro, in the County of Gloucester, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was presented and duly adopted by the Borough Council at a meeting of the Borough of Glassboro held on Tuesday, September 25, 2018.



KAREN COSGROVE
Municipal Clerk